TODAY'S WEATHER
Fair and Warmer With South Winds Becoming Variable.

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THE WEATHER

Fair.

Fair and warmer today and showers for tomorrow is the forecast of the Washington weather man for Pittsburgh and vicinity. Yesterday the maximum temperature was 82 and the minimum 68. The sun rose cloudy at 5:35 and set cloudy at 6:19 yesterday. The daily report, furnished by the local weather office, follows:

Time.	Bar.	Tem.	Hum.	Wind.	Weather.
8 a. m.	30.19	70	87	S. W.	Pt. Cloudy
8 p. m.	30.17	78	67	S. W.	Clear

Comparative temperature and precipitation for September 11:

	1902	1901		1902	1901
Maximum	76	75	Mean	68	70
Minimum	64	65	Precipitation	.00	T.

Max. tem., 5 p. m., 82; Min. tem., 4 a. m., 68; Mean temperature, 70; Nor. tem., 31 yrs., 68; Excess for the day, 2; Exc. since Sept. 1, 13; Defcy. since Jan. 1, 298; Nor. precip. 31 yrs., .09; Precip. for day, .00; Defcy. for day, .09; Defcy. since Sept. 1, .17; Exc. since Jan. 1, 4.25

Government Weather Report.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 11.—Forecast: Western Pennsylvania—Fair, continued warm Saturday; Sunday increasing cloudiness, probably showers and cooler; fresh south winds, becoming variable.

Observations taken at weather bureau stations at 5 p. m.:

Chicago	68 Pt.Cldy	Indianapolis	76 Cloudy
Cairo	82 Clear	Washington	76 Clear
St. Louis	82 Clear	Kansas City	80 Pt.Cldy
Oklahoma	82 Clear	New Orleans	76 Cloudy
Nashville	84 Clear	Philadelphia	80 Clear
Vicksburg	82 Clear	Omaha	78 Cloudy
Louisville	78 Clear	St. Paul	62 Rain
New York	74 Clear	Salt Lake City	82 Cloudy
Buffalo	62 Clear	Denver	56 Cloudy
Cleveland	70 Clear	Helena	44 Cloudy
Des Moines	70 Cloudy	Huron	54 Cloudy

CLOSING TIME OF MAILS AT THE POSTOFFICE

Philadelphia—1:00, 2:00, 6:30, 7:30 a. m.; 4:10, 6:30, 6:30 p. m.

Baltimore—1:00, 2:30, 6:30, 7:30 a. m.; 12:45, 4:10, 5:05, 8:30, 9:30 p. m.

Washington—1:00, 2:30, 7:30 a. m.; 12:45, 6:00, 7:30, 9:30 p. m.

Atlantic City—1:00, 2:30, 7:30 a. m.; 4:00, 6:30, 8:30, 7:30 p. m.

Buffalo—1:30, 8:30 a. m.; 3:00, 6:30, 10:15, 11:30 p. m.

Cleveland—5:30, 7:30, 8:30 a. m.; 3:00, 8:30, 11:30 p. m.

Cincinnati—1:30, 5:10, 8:20, 11:50 a. m.; 12:00, 7:45, 8:45 p. m.

Chicago—8:30, 8:30, 11:50 a. m.; 7:30, 8:45 p. m.

St. Louis—1:30, 5:10, 11:50 a. m.; 8:45 p. m.

St. Paul—8:30, 8:30, 11:50 a. m.; 7:30, 8:45 p. m.

San Francisco—5:30, 5:30, 11:50 a. m.; 7:30, 8:45 p. m.

Denver—1:30, 8:30, 11:50 a. m.; 8:45 p. m.

Boston—1:00, 2:30, 7:30 a. m., 4:10, 6:30, 8:00, 9:30 p. m.

TODAY'S AMUSEMENTS.

ALVIN—Blanche Walsh in "Resurrection," 2:15 and 8:15 p. m.

DUQUESNE—Miss Mattie Keene and All-Star Vaudeville Combination, 2:15 and 8:15 p. m.

AVENUE—Continuous vaudeville, 1:30 to 10:30 p. m.

BIJOU—"King of Detectives," 2:15 and 8 p. m.

ZIMPME—"Beware of Men," 2:15 and 8:15 p. m.

ACADEMY—"The Cherry Blossoms," 2 and 8 p. m.

KENNYWOOD PARK—Rocereto's band concerts, Bernard, the yodler, and other vaudeville acts, afternoon and evening.

WESTERN PENNSYLVANIA EXPOSITION—Orchestra concerts, 2, 4, 7:30 and 9:30 p. m.

OAKLAND BOARD OF TRADE CARNIVAL—Fifth avenue, opposite Hotel Schenley.

EXPOSITION PARK—Championship baseball game, Pittsburgh vs. Philadelphia, 3 p. m.

OCEAN INTELLIGENCE.

Sailed Sept. 11.

New York—Cedric, for Liverpool.
Southampton—Augusta Victoria, for New York.
Moville—Astoria, for New York (for Glasgow).
Liverpool—Ottaria, for New York; Devonian, for Boston; Victorian, for New York.

Arrived Sept. 11.

New York—La Savoie, from Havre; Campania, from Liverpool.
Plymouth—Melitie, from New York.
Liverpool—Cedric, from New York.
Naples—Hohenzollern, from New York.
Queenstown—Teutonic, from New York.

GRAFT ULCER IS CAUTERIZED

Extent of Conspiracy to Rob Government Being Laid Bare.

HAS MANY BRANCHES

Old Names and Several New Ones in Latest Indictments by the Federal Grand Jury.

SUBSTANCE OF THE CHARGES

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU,
Room 10, Postal Building,
WASHINGTON, D. C., Sept. 11.

The public is given a clearer idea of the extent and ramifications of the great graft syndicate that formerly existed in the postoffice department by the recent indictments that were handed down by the United States grand jury and which were made public today. Graft was the watchword all along the line and it would appear that scarcely a device used by the postoffice department under the Machen and Beavers regime was permitted to rest upon its merits. The price of every article and the quantity ordered by the department seems to have depended entirely upon the commission that the contractors or manufacturers were willing to pay.

Seven indictments were handed down on Wednesday. One was against George W. Beavers, August W. Machen and James W. Erwin for conspiracy to defraud the United States. It alleges that 1,000 shares of stock in the Postal Device and Improvement Company of San Francisco were voted in 1899 to be used in forwarding the interests of the company which manufactured a letter box lock. Erwin was a postoffice inspector and it is charged that he accompanied the president of the company east and introduced him to Machen and Beavers. The shares were distributed. It is charged, Machen, Beavers and Erwin each getting a block and as a result an order for 2,089 devices was placed. Later the company was relieved of obligations such as crating, freight charges, painting, printing cards, etc.

New Names Dragged In.

Two indictments are against Isaac H. McGlehan of New York and George H. Huntington of New York and August W. Machen, one for conspiracy to defraud and one for conspiracy to commit bribery. These charges arise out of the contracts to supply the department with package boxes from July 1, 1893, to June 1, 1897, and in which contracts McGlehan and Huntington were interested. Machen is charged with recommending an increase in compensation for the boxes and collecting commission amounting to several thousand dollars.

There are two indictments against Eugene D. Sheble of Toledo, O., and August W. Machen, charging conspiracy to defraud and conspiracy to commit bribery. It is alleged that Sheble, acting as the agent of Maybury & Ellis of Detroit, secured from Machen a contract for furnishing letter boxes for the free rural delivery service. Machen is charged with ordering large quantities of these boxes in excess of the needs of the department

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LEISHMAN AT DISADVANTAGE

Rank Likely to Be Raised Soon to That of Ambassador.

COULD SEE SULTAN

Is Obliged Now to Transact Business Through Tedious and Often Uncertain Channels.

MACEDONIA STILL SUFFERS

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU,
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WASHINGTON, D. C., Sept. 11.

Now that the United States has been drawn into the vortex of the Turkish crisis, it proposes to be able to wield as strong a hand in affairs at the sublime porte as any European power. The state department is anxious that the American legation at Constantinople be elevated to an embassy with a corresponding advance of the Turkish legation at Washington.

American diplomacy at the porte suffers materially because Leishman is only a minister. He meets with vexatious delays in sealing officials with whom he can confer advantageously in a delicate situation such as now exists. Were he an ambassador, the personal representative of the president of the United States, he would be entitled to personal audience with the sultan. Such is the prestige now enjoyed by European powers.

President Roosevelt realizes the great obstacle which lies in Mr. Leishman's low rank. Several months ago, after repeated representations through the usual channels, President Roosevelt sent a letter to the sultan through Mr. Leishman, who delivered it personally. The result was a better agreement on long pending questions than the state department had expected to obtain. Several years ago the elevation of the legations at Washington and Constantinople were discussed, but the porte did not then care to make the change on account of additional expense. The acuteness of the situation now, however, may induce more favorable consideration of the plan. Mr. Leishman is now sounding the Turkish government on this subject.

An Error Explained.

Mr. Leishman in a cable to the state department today explained the error which led to his notifying the state department that Vice Consul Magelssen had been killed when he had merely been shot at. Consul Ravndal, after the attack, filed to Mr. Leishman a cipher message stating that Mr. Magelssen had been "shot at." When the message was received at the American legation by Mr. Leishman and translated it read that Mr. Magelssen had been "shot assassinated." The error is explained by the fact that the cipher symbol for the word "at" is with the exception of a digit, the same as that for "assassinated." The mistake of a single number in the transmission caused the mistake which set the world by the ears and started the American warships to Beirut. What the state department will do about the mistake is not known, but no action will be taken until a

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"ONCE AGAIN"
REFORM
ONE YEAR AND A HALF OF "REFORM" ADMINISTRATION AND
NOT A SINGLE PLEDGE REDEEMED
HERE'S THE ROAD TO THE REAL CAMPAIGN

Banner vs. Record.

SOLDIER WHO SHOT CROWLEY IS STILL IN ARSENAL GROUNDS

Lieutenant Drury Continued to Refuse to Give Up Prisoner to Local Authorities or Reveal His Name—An Investigation Today.

I will not give up the prisoner.—Lieut. R. W. Drury.

When I learn I have the power I will demand the prisoner.—Coroner Jesse M. McGeary.

As yet it is not known outside of the Allegheny arsenal the name of the private soldier who shot and killed William H. Crowley Thursday morning, as Lieut. Drury nor none of the other soldiers will reveal it.

Lieut. Drury yesterday received from General Adna R. Chaffee, commanding the Department of the East, an order informing him that a representative from the army would arrive in Pittsburgh from Washington this morning at 9 o'clock to make an official investigation into the shooting. The official will go over the scene of the shooting and examine the witnesses and participants in the affair.

Lieut. Drury is also said to have received another order telling him that he must be governed by the fifty-ninth article of war in the case of the shooting of Crowley. According to this article Lieut. Drury is commanded to deliver the prisoner over to the civil authorities. If he refuses to do this he is subject to dismissal. Article 59 of the articles of war, is as follows.

The Law on the Subject.

When any officer or soldier is accused of a capital crime or of any offense against the person or property of any citizen of the United States, which is punishable by the laws of the land, the commanding officer and the officers of any regiment, troop, battery, company, or detachment to which the person so accused belongs, are required, except in time of war, to use their utmost endeavors to deliver him over to the civil magistrate, and to aid the officers of justice in apprehending and securing him, in order to bring him to trial. If upon such application any officer refuses or wilfully neglects, except in time of war, to deliver over such accused person to the civil magistrate or to aid the officers of justice in apprehending him, he shall be dismissed from the service.

The private who did the shooting is still a prisoner at the arsenal. Lieut. Drury yesterday refused to discuss the shooting. He said he was prepared to submit the details to the affair to the representative of the army this morning. He declared he had no intention of turning the private over to the local authorities at the present time.

Coroner Jesse M. McGeary has completed his investigation of the case and said he would probably set the time of the inquest today. He does not know the name of the private who did the shooting. The police also have been denied this information.

Coroner McGeary had a conference with his attorneys, George W. Brawner and Andrew O'Brien, yesterday. He said he was awaiting the action of the war department. Coroner McGeary is assured he will receive fair treatment from the federal authorities.

Statement by the Coroner.

"If I thought I had a right to demand the prisoner," said Coroner McGeary, "I would do so. As the matter stands the private is confined in the guard house at the arsenal, and Lieut. Drury has assured me that he will have his soldiers attend the inquest and testify. I am told that if the jury finds the soldier responsible for the death of Crowley I will be permitted to have him committed to jail on a charge of murder."

Lieut. Drury was up early yesterday morning securing evidence against Crowley and his companions. He said they had been stealing copper and he has part of their plunder. The army officer says he knows the names of the two boys who escaped from the soldiers.

"There is some doubt of this in the minds of the neighbors about the arsenal. They claim most of the copper taken from the arsenal was done by the soldiers. A resident of Lawrenceville said he has often seen wagonloads of copper taken away from the arsenal. The soldiers witnessed it being carted away. In fact, he

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NEW YORK BANKERS ARE SUMMONED TO CAPITAL

Are Expected to Give important Evidence on Postal Frauds Grand Jury.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]
NEW YORK, Sept. 11.—Subpoenas were served today upon the cashiers of the Fourteenth street bank, the Mercantile bank at 187 Broadway, and upon a Mr. King, one of the officers of a trust company located at Sixty-sixth and Broadway, having also an uptown branch. The subpoenas require the presence of the cashiers in Washington Monday next at 10:30 a. m., where they are to appear before the federal grand jury.

It is understood that the testimony they are expected to give in this connection is in regard to checks paid by the government to various contractors of postal supplies, which passed through their institutions or were deposited with them for customers. None of the subpoenaed men would discuss the matter or even admit that they or officers of their institutions had been served.

George W. Beavers, formerly chief of the department of salaries in the postoffice department, today surrendered to the federal authorities for the second time within the week. His action was the result of the filing of a second indictment against him on September 8.

Beavers was indicted in July, but never arrested. The charge against him was that he had made a fraudulent agreement with the Edward J. Brandt-Dent Company, a corporation selling the so-called Brandt Automatic Cashiers, whereby he was to recommend to the first assistant postmaster general the ordering and purchase of 250 automatic cashiers for the use of the postoffice department. His examination was set down for September 25 at 10 o'clock. J. R. Brown again went on his bond for $5,000.

CLARKE MAKES PROMISES FOR JOHNSON IN OHIO

RAVENNA, O., Sept. 11.—(Special.)—Tom L. Johnson and John H. Clarke spoke to 800 people under the Johnson tent tonight. The tent was pitched in a muddy field, and this cut down the attendance slightly. Mr. Clarke reviewed the Democratic platform, giving special attention to the subjects of home rule and taxation. He promised that if Johnson were elected governor 2-cent railroad fare would be established in Ohio before next April, and that tax reform as proposed by him would be a reality before Christmas of 1904.

VENEZUELA HOWLS AT THE FINDINGS

Newspapers Declare That Decision of Arbitrators Is a Joke.

BELGIANS AWARDED $2,000,000

[Associated Press Cable to The Gazette.]
Willemstad, Curacao, Sept. 11.—The decisions in the cases of the Big claims against Venezuela presented to the mixed tribunals began to be rendered yesterday. The Dutch and Belgian arbitrators and the Venezuelan umpire delivered judgment condemning Venezuela to pay the Belgian company, owning the Caracas waterworks, $2,000,000. Notwithstanding the fact that the meeting of the tribunal was declared to be secret the Venezuelan government immediately divulged its decision everywhere and also started the semi-official press complaining against Dr. Fich, the Dutch arbitrator, and the other arbitrators, who are characterised as robbers worthy of hanging. The violence of the press is without precedent, going so far as to say the government will not accept the judgment.

The Pregonero, in a strongly worded article, says: "We are Venezuelans. We will not accept these impositions. The decisions of the arbitrators are a joke. Do these old gentlemen suppose that Venezuela is a country of savages in which they can slash right and left? It is necessary that they should know that they have a people before them and Gen. Castro, the head of the executive power, who will not accept such treatment. Know this, umpires and commissioners, and the sooner you know it the better it will be for you. You believe we are lambs, not having even our claws. We are tigers and lions. Therefore, beware!"

El Combate says: "How long will these humiliations last? Down with the foreign extortioners and let us hold up high and firm our national dignity and integrity. Long live Venezuela!"

La Religion, a Catholic organ, accuses the United States of hypocritical diplomacy.

WESTINGHOUSE WINS AN IMPORTANT SUIT

Court Decides That Tesla Invented Split-Phase Alternating Currents.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]
NEW YORK, Sept. 11.—Judge Archbald of the United States circuit court of the eastern district of Pennsylvania has given an important decision in favor of the Westinghouse Electric and Manufacturing Company. The decision declares that Nicola Tesla invented the split-phase alternating currents prior to the discovery of the same thing by an Italian electrician named Ferraris. The decision covers about 50 pages of typewritten matter.

Counsel for the Westinghouse company said today that the Tesla patents had been recognized generally up to the present and that probably no infringement suits would follow. The Tesla effect, so called, is the production of a whirling or rotating magnetic force by means of two alternating currents out of phase with each other. In his fundamental patents Tesla produced these out-of-phase currents at the generator and transmitted them over three wires to the motor, where they were used to produce the rotating or "Teslaield." In the split-phase patents he generated a single phase current and transmitted it as a single phase current, and then at or near the motor derived from it the second of out-of-phase current. Ferraris's invention was along similar lines. FRANK A. PARKER.

CHURCHES MAY UNITE.

Moderator Coyle Looks for a Union of the 12 Branches of Presbyterians.

DENVER, Sept. 11.—The Rev. R. F. Coyle, moderator of the general assembly of the Presbyterian church, who has just returned to his home in this city from a lecture tour in the east, believes that the time is not far distant when the 12 different Presbyterian churches in the United States will become one. This probability, he says, is due to the reconstructing of the creed of his denomination which took place last May.

NEGROES ARRESTED FOR $10,000 DIAMOND THIEF

PETERSBURG, VA., Sept. 11.—(Special.)—Rufus Worrell, aged 18 years, and Felix Roberts, aged 16, both negroes, were arrested tonight by Chief of Police Ragland, charged with the theft of $10,000 in diamonds, the property of Mrs. J. P. Harter, in New York last Saturday. Only a few articles were recovered with some old coins. Some of them were found in possession of each prisoner. Worrell was employed for over a year as valet to Mr. Harter.

LAUDER'S ENDYMION HAS NOT FINISHED RACE

NEW YORK, Sept. 11.—(Special.)—Morton Plant's schooner yacht Ingomar is the winner of the Atlantic Yacht club's ocean race. She arrived at Scotland lightship this morning at 9:30:49 o'clock, and dropped anchor off Sea Gate, the club's station, at 12:15 o'clock. The other contestants, of which George Lauder's Endymion is one, had not arrived up to a late hour tonight.

HELEN GOULD GIVES PARTY TO SEWING CLASS GIRLS

TARRYTOWN, N. Y., Sept. 11.—(Special.)—Miss Helen Gould gave her annual party to 250 young girls who belong to her Lyndhurst sewing class at her country seat this afternoon. In front of the Gould mansion a large tent was erected where a novel entertainment was given.

Hofstot Case Adjourned.

GREAT NECK, L. I., Sept. 11.—(Special.)—The case of Mrs. F. N. Hofstot, wife of the president of the Pressed Steel Car Company, who accuses David Barnes, a farmer, of attempting to brain her with a fence picket while she was sitting in her automobile, came up before Justice Allen today, but, at the request of the counsel for Mrs. Hofstot, was adjourned until September 25.

TOMORROW
EXCLUSIVELY IN THE
SUNDAY GAZETTE
WILL APPEAR THE FIRST INSTALLMENT OF
HISTORY
James Howard Bridge's
OF THE
CARNEGIE STEEL CO.
EVERYBODY WILL WANT THE GAZETTE TOMORROW. DON'T RISK MISSING IT. ORDER THE PAPER NOW.

WIRES MUST BE UNDERGROUND IN THIRTY DAYS

Director Bigelow Gives Western Union Short Notice—It Retaliates in Like Manner—Others Notified.

COUNCILS ASKED FOR MONEY

The department of public works of Pittsburgh has notified the telephone, telegraph and electric light companies doing business in this city that they must comply with the ordinance of 1895, requiring overhead wires and cables on certain main thoroughfares of the city to be put under ground. In one instance only 30 days' time is given to obey this order, while in other cases no limit is specified. The one to receive a 30-days' notice was the Western Union Telegraph Company. The Western Union company in turn notified the public safety department yesterday that the city's police and fire alarm wires must be taken off the company's poles within the same period.

The city authorities have taken steps to comply with the demands of the Western Union, and councils will be asked at once to make an appropriation for this purpose.

Mayor William B. Hays did not learn of this action on the part of Director E. M. Bigelow until yesterday afternoon. The word was brought to him by Supt. A. C. Herron of the bureau of electricity, connected with the public safety department. Supt. Herron called upon the mayor at city hall and stated that there were no funds for the removal of the city's wires from the Western Union poles. He roughly estimated that it would cost $40,000, not including the South Side. It will cost not less than $50,000 for the whole city, and probably nearer $100,000.

Councils Must Furnish Money.

Mayor Hays instructed Supt. Herron to prepare exact estimates for the cost of laying the cables in the conduits under ground and to report at once in order that an ordinance asking for an appropriation could be presented to councils.

Other companies notified that the ordinance law of 1895 must be complied with were the Allegheny County Light Company, the Bell Telephone Company, the Pittsburgh and Allegheny Telephone Company and the Postal Telegraph Company.

Mayor Hays told a Gazette representative that the city could not expect the corporations to comply with the ordinance unless it did likewise, and that it would be up to councils to appropriate the money necessary to do the work. Supt. Herron stated that it would not be necessary for the city to tear up the streets to lay new conduits, as the telegraph and telephone companies had conduits on all the principal streets and the city had the right to put their cables in these conduits under the terms of the franchise granted the companies.

The streets named in the ordinance of 1895 are Penn avenue, Liberty avenue, Center avenue, Wylie avenue, Fifth avenue, Forbes street and Carson street. Supt. Herron stated all the electrical companies had conduits on these thoroughfares. The expense, he said, would be in the purchase of new cables and in laying them, which would be considerable. It was for this reason that the companies had delayed putting their wires underground past the time required by the ordinance of 1895, which set the limit at eight years. This limit expires on May 22.

City's Wires Damaged.

The city's police, fire alarm and private telephone wires are strung in cables, insulated with rubber, which is considered the best cable manufactured. Supt. Herron stated yesterday that the telegraph companies have been using paper-insulated cables, which easily wear off and burn out the city's lines whenever a telegraph wire crosses the city's wires. He said the city had suffered enough damage in this way to pay for new cables for the entire city. On the South side the city has a cable containing 92 wires which will have to go underground.

As the Western Union has removed its conduit from Carson street to Bingham street, running parallel with Carson street, the city may have to change the location of its principal South Side line to that street. The same thing will have to be done in some other quarters of the city where the telegraph and telephone companies have no conduits.

Wires Downtown Buried.

Supt. Herron said that the companies would be allowed to have a distributing pole for every four squares, but the wires to the distributing poles must be run underground. From the distributing poles the wires will be wire off the main streets as much as possible and run through alleys and back streets.

Supt. Herron said the companies had made no effort to comply with the law outside of the downtown district. Below Grant street, or mail, the Allegheny Light Company still has many poles up, but the telephone and telegraph companies had their wires pretty well underground in that section.

Old Penn avenue, Liberty avenue, Wylie avenue, Forbes street and Fifth avenue, the companies have hundreds of their wires above ground, running in 30-pair cables in each street. Along Center avenue the companies have their wires underground a part of the distance out. The city has a cable containing 42 wires in Penn avenue strung on poles, 30 overhead wires on Fifth avenue and 30 wires on Forbes street.

To get all these wires under ground in 30 days will involve not only a considerable amount of money, but great labor and haste on the part of the city. The city is handicapped at this particular stage because it has not made an appropriation to bury the wires for two years, the controller and the finance committee refusing an appropriation for this purpose last winter.

Bigelow Has Favorites.

There is considerable speculation why Director Bigelow discriminated against the Western Union Company. Recently the company has been visiting it hard luck. A few months ago the Pennsylvania company cut down all the Western Union poles and wires along the tracks east of Pittsburg, and is said to be preparing to do the same thing along the tracks of the Pennsylvania lines west.

Superintendent E. B. Taylor of the Western Union said that he received the notice from the department of public works on Wednesday. He said the terms were not agreed to by Superintendent E. C. Nicholson, of the bureau of telegraphs and wires. Superintendent Taylor said it seemed that Director Bigelow was playing favorites for some reason and was discriminating against the Western Union. He said the company would endeavor to comply with the order and would expect the city to remove its wires from the company's poles within the same period.

Charles E. Warner, superintendent of the Allegheny County Light Company, stated that Director Bigelow had called the company's attention to the ordinance of 1895, and had notified the company to take its wires and poles down, but had specified no time. He thought the company could have all its wires underground by Christmas.

ANOTHER HEAD DROPS.

Secretary Hitchcock Dismisses Commissioner Sterritt of Cherokee Nation.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 11.—Special.)—Another head was lopped off today as the result of the Indian land fraud investigation. Secretary Hitchcock announced the dismissal of Town Site Commissioner Sterritt of the Cherokee nation and the appointment of Dwight Tuttle of Connecticut to succeed him.

Mr. Sterritt is from Ohio and was named to his office by President McKinley. Wholesale charges of irregularities have been made against Sterritt on several occasions but they are said not to have been sustained. Sterritt's explanations were not satisfactory in all cases and the president and Secretary Hitchcock are said to have agreed that he was not the man who should have the position.

NO MORE CHEAP CIGARS FOR GOTHAM SMOKERS

NEW YORK, Sept. 11.—(Special.)—An announcement was made today that the 28 stores of the Independent Cigar Stores Company in New York had been bought by the United Cigar Stores Company, and that the cattle between the two companies was at an end. About a year ago the Independent Cigar Stores Company was incorporated and 28 stores were opened in New York. A fierce profit cutting war was waged.

PITTSBURGH "REFORMERS" HAD ALL THE GAMBLING PRIVILEGES

CLARION, PA., Sept. 11.—(Special.)—Clarion county farmers constituted liberally this week to a number of men who worked hard for the "reform" ticket in Pittsburgh at the February election. All the gambling privileges at the fair were controlled by the Clinton party supporters, and they reaped a rich harvest from the agriculturist who thought that he could beat the various games.

The same men who fought for the Bigelow ticket in February were handling the "paddle," the "paddle," "shuck jerk" and other devices used to separate the farmer from his money. The player was given the usual amount of chance to win, and many a hard-earned dollar was played in the hope that the right shell would be lifted, the proper paddle bought or the correct throw of the dice guessed.

A pretty girl was introduced in the "shuck jerk" game. She was a beautiful brunette of about 18 summers, and her winning ways made mouths fly open and finally purse strings loosened. Her stunt was to shake the cage and do the talking. In a sweet voice she would sing:

"Money down and hands off. Tell me when you're ready, men."

The gruff-voiced gamblers—the same men who labored for "reform" in February—would cry "Ready." The cage containing the three dice would be twirled by the maiden, while the farmers feverishly waited the result of the throw. When the dice had finished flopping the sweet voice would sing out the showing of the tricky, black-marked pieces of bone. The house always appeared to win when the girl with sweet frequently announced:

"An ace, a deuce and a lovely six," or "A pair of queens and a bold-faced five."

Great crowds were attracted by the girl. They stayed for a time and then the audacity of the men duy deep in their purse for another old halves. Tonight the men who fought for "reform" in Pittsburgh have the vote and the men behind the plow had the experience.

FAMOUS GROUP WILL BE SHOWN

Director Beatty Secures Foreign Collection for Carnegie Institute.

AWARDS ONLY TO AMERICANS

Eighth Annual Exhibition Will Open on Founder's Day—Jury Will Meet on October 15—Galleries to Close on October 4 to Receive Pictures.

Announcement of the close of the summer exhibition of the Carnegie Institute was made yesterday by Director of Fine Arts John W. Beatty, who named Sunday, October 4, as the time when the galleries will be closed and remain so until Founder's day, November 5. The eighth annual exhibition of paintings will be opened on that day, and Director Beatty has requested that all applications for conditions governing the entries for this exhibit should be sent in at once, as entries will close October 5. The jury will meet at the Institute October 15. Paintings to be submitted to the jury should be in place and in the galleries not later than October 10.

The jury this year will be elected by the contributors, who will be American painters, as the annual exhibition will be composed entirely of American works. Awards of $1,500, $1,000 and $500 will be restricted to Americans, but there will be exhibited at the same time a number of foreign paintings.

Director Beatty has arranged to have on exhibit at the institute, beginning Founder's day, a collection of important paintings from the International Society of Sculptors, Calvers and Painters of London. These pictures, however, will be seen in a separate gallery. The group is being brought to this country for a brief circuit of American cities, including Philadelphia, Pittsburgh, Chicago and Boston.

In connection with the summer exhibition a catalogue of the institute's permanent collections and temporary loans has been placed on sale in the galleries. The catalogue includes all works owned by the department of fine arts, whether on exhibition, loaned or stored. It contains views of the three galleries, 33 portrait cuts of artists represented in the collection of paintings, and 13 illustrations of the paintings. It is the first publication of the kind issued by the director.

Within a few days a statuette in marble by George Gray Barnard, entitled "The Maiden," will be placed in the west gallery, to remain until the close of the present exhibition. The institute is indebted to Mr. Alexander Blair Thaw of New York for the loan of this work.

CAMPAIGN WAS OPENED BY CITIZENS PARTY

Alleghenians Heard Speeches and Elected Permanent Officers.

The Citizens party last night formally opened the campaign in Allegheny City by throwing open its headquarters in Kenyon hall. The meeting was called to order by Robert B. Lee of the Fifth ward, who was elected temporary chairman. The election of permanent officers resulted as follows: Chairman, R. H. Jackson; vice chairman, John W. Robinson, councilman from the Fourth ward; secretary, Charles Ross, councilman from the Third ward; treasurer, Edward J. McIlvaine, director of public safety of Allegheny.

Everything was cut-and-dried, and the slate decided upon was elected. Several attempts were made to nominate men not selected, but these efforts were given no attention. As soon as one of the slate was nominated, another party worker moved that the nominations close, and, despite the protests of several who had candidates, Temporary Chairman Lee ignored them and declared the slate elected without the question of whether the slated candidates would be elected. Of course, in each the slate won.

The speakers were Harry L. Goehring, candidate for district attorney; J. A. Blechner, candidate for prothonotary; Thomas M. Brown, candidate for sheriff; Cornelius Casey, candidate for jury commissioner; Major James G. Wyman, Attorney D. T. Patterson, Attorney R. H. Jackson and Solicitor Stephen G. Porter.

The latter in his speech jumped on the Hon. William H. Graham, Dr. James W. Dickson, Republican candidate for sheriff; the Hon. Charles A. Muehlbronner and the Hon. John A. Hall. Mr. Porter declared that since the Citizens took office it has been discovered that there has been gross mismanagement in the bureaus of health and fire and that the old Republican administration was responsible for this.

Candidate Goehring admitted that the election of pledges of the Citizens party had not been fulfilled, but asked for a chance for his party councilmen and city officials. He declared that they would eventually redeem the pledges made to the public prior to the election. All the other speakers evaded party issues and begged public indulgence for Citizens councilmen and city officials whose party promises had been ignored.

ONE DEATH FROM SMALLPOX

Several New Cases in Pittsburgh. Disease Abating in Allegheny City.

One death from smallpox occurred yesterday at the municipal hospital to that of Pittsburgh Richardson, colored, 28 years old, of No. 307 Fifth avenue. He had been sick for two days. Eleven new cases were reported yesterday—S. J. Montgomery, 35 years old, and William Montgomery, 8 years old, Dallas avenue; John Edgar, 22 years old, Dallas avenue, near the boulevard; Edith Allen and Arthur Peterson, aged respectively 4, 3 and 8 years, of Fifty-sixth and Camelia streets; Anna Fredland, 16 years old, of No. 1426 Fifth avenue; W. L. Alcorn, 25 years old, No. 5013 Dearborn street; Edna Rixey, colored, 2 years old, No. 2353 Wylie avenue; Peter Winga, colored, 22 years old, No. 5056 Howley street; Tony and Adolph Rudolex, aged respectively 3 and 1 years, No. 37 Fritz street.

There were 128 deaths in Pittsburgh last week, the principal causes being smallpox 15, typhoid fever 12, consumption 6, pneumonia 8 and violence 11. During the week there were reported 45 cases of smallpox, 40 of typhoid fever, 18 of scarlet fever and 22 of diphtheria. Three cases of typhoid fever, three of scarlet fever and two of diphtheria were reported yesterday.

Two new cases of smallpox were reported in Allegheny yesterday—Mrs. H. H. Lenz of No. 818 Jackson street and William Ludtke of Shady avenue. Three patients were discharged from the Allegheny hospital as cured. No new cases have broken out in the Pleasant Valley district and the health authorities feel confident they have completely checked the epidemic there.

Mrs. Benjamin Evans of Rebecca street, North Braddock, died of smallpox yesterday at Taylor station, Westmoreland county, where she went to visit relatives with her husband about a month ago. Her husband died three weeks ago of the same disease. Mrs. Evans nursed her husband in the home of Mrs. Evans, who lived in the house adjoining the Evans family in North Braddock, also contracted the disease, but has recovered from it. The body of Mrs. Evans was interred last night at Taylor station near that of her husband. He was 30 years old and she 25. Two children survive.

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ALL KNEW ABOUT VERNER'S SCHEME

Some Strange Facts Connected With the Duquesne Way Railroad Ordinance.

THE DENIALS ARE PECULIAR

Leaders of Select Council Admit Having Heard of the Trolley Project, but Deny Its Connection With the Pennsylvania Measure.

The alliance of Murry A. Verner and Mayor William B. Hays with the select council combine was explained yesterday by the charge that Mr. Verner had planned to hold up the Duquesne way railroad ordinance in select council until he obtained a coveted trolley franchise between Avalon and Beaver Falls, for which the Pennsylvania company holds the charter.

Mr. Verner admitted yesterday that he had offered the Pennsylvania company $100,000 for the charter about a year ago, but the offer had been refused. At first he said he did not know who owned the charter, and then he admitted that it was held by the Pennsylvania company. Mr. Verner wants the road to make it the connecting link for a trolley line between Pittsburgh and Cleveland.

He is now the head of a company that owns the lines between Beaver Falls, Rochester, Beaver, Sharon, Youngstown and other important towns that connect with Cleveland and he badly needs the stretch between Beaver Falls and Avalon. The Pennsylvania company procured the charter for this road in order to keep the profits from any competing trolley company that might parallel the railroad tracks between these points.

The story was denied yesterday by Mr. Verner, Mayor Hays and the leaders of the select council combine. Strangely enough, however, all seemed to have heard of the fact that the Pennsylvania company held the charter, that it was desired by Mr. Verner, and that he had made the Pennsylvania company the offer of $100,000, which had been refused.

Select Councilman Samuel J. Wainwright, Jr., was in the mayor's office yesterday morning when Mr. Verner dropped in. The mayor afterward denied that the three had discussed the Duquesne way ordinance. He said Mr. Wainwright had called to give him a plan for board walks in the Eighteenth ward which he wanted, and that the meeting with Mr. Verner was an accident. The mayor declared that he had never mentioned the Duquesne way ordinance to any member of the select council combine.

Mr. Wainwright said: "I heard some time ago about the Pennsylvania company having a charter for the trolley line between Avalon and Beaver Falls. I knew also that Verner had bought out all of Dick Quay's holdings around Beaver and Youngstown. I knew that Verner had offered the Pennsylvania company $100,000 for the charter and that it was refused. These things, however, have no connection with the Duquesne way ordinance that I know."

Select Councilman J. W. Ruhlandt made practically the same statement, admitting the knowledge of the Verner trolley deal, but denying the charge that this had resulted in a alliance between Verner and Mayor Hays by the select council combine.

ITALIANS WERE ANGRY.

Tried to Lynch a Driver Who Had Run Over and Killed a Child.

Over 50 angered Italians yesterday afternoon about 1 o'clock in River avenue, Negley run, attempted to mob Ben Jurleis, an expressman of No. 710 River avenue, for driving over Charles Micia, 20 months old, of the same street, and almost instantly killing him.

No sooner had the accident occurred than nearly every idle male Italian in the neighborhood, armed with knives, pistols and sticks, started for the driver. Jurleis whipped up his horse and managed to keep ahead of the mob. Arriving in front of his home, he abandoned the wagon and took to his heels, going direct to the East End police station, where he asked for protection. After explaining what he had done, Jurleis was placed under arrest and will be held to await the result of the inquest. To prevent a further outbreak, a squad of police was sent to River avenue and kept there for the remainder of the afternoon.

Jurleis has been driving a express wagon along the street and says he did not know that he had run over the child until he heard the eldest sister cry out.

Convicted of Murder.

GREENSBURG, PA., Sept. 11.—(Special.)—In the case of John Ferbo, accused of the murder on May 3 of Joseph Conto of Van Meter the jury, after being out 10 minutes, returned a verdict of second degree murder.

HAPENINGS OF A DAY.

—Richard Cargill of No. 638 Kirkpatrick street, was cut in the back slightly by an Italian whom he ejected from a new building in Grant street, near Seventh avenue, where the Italian was interfering with the workmen.

—Merchants and business men of Washington county will meet at Canal Dover at Gross station, near Castle Shannon, Wednesday, September 30. A program of races, bowling ball games and other sports has been arranged.

—Michael Tuitko, a Pole, was fined $100 and costs yesterday for shooting Pearl Stewart at No. 19 Cherry alley and attempting to shoot a policeman Thursday afternoon.

—John Keller, a driver for Joseph Walsh, McKees Rocks, was held for court by Alderman C. K. Barnhart yesterday, charged with embezzlement of funds belonging to his employer.

—During the absence of his room-mate Michiele Exzo, an Italian, is said to have taken $200 from D. Terlaighi's clothing. Magistrate T. H. Sheehan held him for court yesterday. The men lived together in an East End boarding house.

—Jersey Trelley, a 14-year-old Italian, was arrested last night on suspicion of being implicated in the theft of copper sheets, said to be from the Lawrence paint works, West Carson street.

—Mrs. Laura Schaffer of No. 1151 Main street, Allegheny, was arrested yesterday. She had trouble in her family, it is said, and threatened to commit suicide, starting to the river to carry out her threat. She is 24 years old.

—The mysterious disappearance of a box containing $105 at the "Johnstown flood" attraction at the Exposition last night resulted in the arrest on suspicion of H. T. Stiegel of No. 517 Sandusky street, and W. J. Connor of Ingram, both attaches of the exhibition.

—William Singleton, colored, of Tennessee, was lodged in jail yesterday on a charge of cutting Mamie Fisher Thursday night at No. 206 Grant alley. The woman is at the Homeopathic hospital.

—William J. Christmas, the colored bellboy who was arrested on suspicion of robbing rooms of patrons of the Monongahela house, was fined $10 and costs yesterday.

—Hugh Loughlin, who has been confined in the Oakland police station for several days on a charge of stabbing Jack Fuller, was yesterday fined $50 on a charge of being a suspicious person. His brother refused to prosecute.

—Dominic Tostecis, 43 years old, an Italian, had both his arms broken by stepping backward from a moving car in Marshall avenue, Allegheny, Thursday night.

—William Cunningham was committed to jail yesterday for a hearing on Tuesday before Alderman C. F. Over on a charge of stealing a bit of tools and a gold watch from John E. Bailey of No. 225 Fifth avenue.

—J. Jenkins of No. 1825 Fifth avenue was struck by a Homestead car yesterday afternoon at Fifth and Wylie avenues and cut about his right temple.

—Tony Mucha, an Italian, 18 years of age, was caught between two vehicles at Seventh and Liberty avenues yesterday afternoon and badly squeezed. He was taken to the Homeopathic hospital.

—George McAmmon of Hazelwood avenue, Braddock, a conductor on the Union railroad, was caught between two sections of runaway cars yesterday morning in the yards of the Carrie furnaces at Rankin and was crushed to death.

Complicated Allegheny Case Resulting from Hungry Dogs

Two hungry, baying dogs barked their way into the sympathies of the whole neighborhood of Clifton place, off Charles street, Allegheny, and because the animals were without master and food the residents formed a vigilance committee to care for the lean hounds. The moonlight nights of the past week have made things howl until there was no rest. The matter was finally brought to the attention of the Humane society and a warrant was issued for the arrest of John McKelvey, who is alleged to have deserted the dogs. McKelvey, so the neighbors say, recently moved from Clifton place to West Park, McKees Rocks, carrying everything except two dogs. McKelvey, who is a grandson of Magistrate David McKelvey, says that the dogs do not and never did belong to him, although the neighbors propose appearing before Alderman A. J. Brinker tonight to assist in proving that McKelvey is their owner.

The case as now viewed by the Humane society is one of collecting as many witnesses as possible. C. B. McPherson who made the information, has been assured of hearty support, and he is ready to tell a gruesome tale of dog starvation. The defendant also has a host of witnesses, every one of whom has no knowledge of the dogs.

A nice legal question may be raised before Alderman Brinker if the defendant claims that the dogs, of their own free will, made themselves a part of his household and that as he had not raised or adopted them he did not feel obligated to carry them into his new home. This is understood to be McKelvey's position.

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and collecting several thousand dollars' commission, the money being paid to him through Sheble. The other indictments were one against McGlehan and Huntington for bribery and one against Machen for accepting bribes based upon the charges stated above.

Heath Is Exonerated.

It is stated by persons who are familiar with the evidence submitted to the grand jury that these latest cases have acted in a way to exonerate Perry S. Heath and ex-Representative Loud of Colfornia. Beavers, it is said, used the name of Mr. Heath very freely, intimating that allowances of certain stock should be increased so that Heath could be let in on it; but there was no evidence whatever of wrongdoing upon the part of Heath. Mr. Loud worked at the department in the interest of the Postal Device Improvement Company, but his efforts were only those of a representative in behalf of a constituent, and it is said that he received none of the stock that was distributed by the company and did not profit in any way from his efforts.

Erwin, who is charged with conspiracy to defraud, is still an inspector in the department and is located in San Francisco. A bench warrant will be forwarded to that city and with it will go from the postmaster general his discharge from the service. The official statement regarding the indictments follows:

"The indictment against Beavers, Erwin and Machen alleges in substance that the Postal Device and Improvement Company of San Francisco, formerly the Montague Indicator and Letter Box Company, by resolution of October 6, 1899, set aside 1,000 shares of its stock to be used in any legitimate way its president might think proper in forwarding the interests of the company.

Made Up of Postoffice Men.

"Armed with this authority, the president, Daniel S. Richardson, accompanied by Erwin, came to Washington. Erwin was then a postoffice inspector, and the company was composed almost entirely of postoffice employes in the west. Erwin introduced Richardson to all the postoffice officials at Washington, and Beavers, Machen, Heath and others examined the device. As a result an order for equipping 2,089 letter boxes with the device was secured.

"About this time, on a suggestion from Beavers, concurred in by Machen, the name of the company was changed, and it was arranged that all postoffice officials should disappear from its management. Beavers and Machen became the owners of blocks of the stock, both under assumed names. The company was then systematically relieved of its obligations in the way of paying freight, crating, painting and printing of circulars for the device it was furnishing. Out of the 1,000 shares of stock set aside, as above mentioned, most all of it went to different postoffice officials. The president of the company afterward came to Washington again, with the request that an increase be made in the compensation the company was receiving for its device. This request was granted. Dividends were afterward paid on the stock.

Where Others Make Money.

"The indictment of McGlehan, Huntington and Machen alleges that McGlehan was the person interested in the profits from certain contracts for furnishing postage stamps from July 1, 1899, to June 1, 1897; that in pursuance of a scheme to defraud the United States, Machen recommended to his superiors that the compensation of the contractor be increased in payment for attaching a different support to the boxes, which raised them higher from the ground. This scheme was put through, and afterward, when Huntington became interested in the contracts with McGlehan, they continued to receive the extra compensation. The indictment is in 16 counts, the first five counts charging the payment of $150 to Machen on September 11, 1900; the third and fourth counts alleging the payment of $250 on December 20, 1900; the fifth and sixth counts the payment of $250 on February 4, 1901; the seventh and eighth counts the payment of $250 on March 2, 1901; the ninth and tenth counts the payment of $225 on March 17, 1901.

"The other indictment against McGlehan, Huntington and Machen is in 15 counts, on the same facts as set forth in the first indictment, the charge being conspiracy to bribe an officer of the United states.

"The indictment against McGlehan and Huntington for bribery alleges that Machen procured the payment of $1 25 additional to the contractor on each of the package boxes for the device which lifted them higher from the ground, after the sum paid for that attachment should not have exceeded 75 cents. McGlehan agreed to pay Machen 50 cents from each $1 25, with the concurrence of Huntington, who was then interested in the contracts with McGlehan as the Columbia Supply Company, for his own personal use.

"The indictment against Scheble and Machen alleges that Eugene D. Scheble of Toledo, O., became interested with the firm of Maybury & Ellis of Detroit, Mich., of which town Mabury is the mayor, in certain contracts with the United States for furnishing letter boxes; that in pursuance of their scheme to defraud the government Machen induced the department to order large quantities of letter boxes for the rural free delivery service; quantities far in excess of what was needed or could be used, and that Machen, in his official capacity, approved the bills for the same. Maybury and Ellis paid Scheble to the extent of his interest in the company and he in turn paid large sums to Machen.

Plenty of Money Coming In.

"The indictment is in 37 counts, the first three charging the payment by Scheble to Machen of $1,500 on September 12, 1900; the fourth count charges the ordering by Machen of 4,000 letter boxes on September 21, 1900; the fifth, sixth and seventh counts charge the payment by Machen of $50 on September 21, 1900. The eighth, ninth and 10th counts charge the payment to Machen of $2,300 on November 22, 1900; the 11th count charges the payment to Machen of $1,150 on November 27, 1900; the 12th, 13th and 14th counts charge the payment of $300 to Machen on February 11, 1901; the 15th, 16th and seventeenth counts charge the payment of $134 to Machen on June 10, 1901. The other indictment against these defendants has the same number of counts, based on the same facts, the charge being conspiracy to bribe an officer of the United States."

James C. Erwin was for many years postal inspector in San Francisco. He was also superintendent of the rural free delivery system and while in that position exercised considerable authority. He was also said to be interested in the new letter box devices. About a month ago Erwin was relieved from his position of superintendent of the rural free delivery and ordered to go to Washington forthwith. He has since been very ill and has never been well enough to answer the summons.

L. W. STRATER.

LEISHMAN IS AT A DISADVANTAGE

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mail report is received from Mr. Leishman.

The prestige of Mr. Leishman at Constantinople has greatly increased since the arrival of the European squadron off Beirut and the scope of his representations to the porte also have increased in the last few days. It is understood that our government will push to an early conclusion all its pending claims against Turkey.

Anxious to Settle the Matter.

Rear Admiral Cotton, in a telegram to the navy department under date of yesterday, states that the governor general of Damascus, who has been appointed acting governor general of Beirut, displays great anxiety to settle the matter of the attack on Vice Consul Magissen satisfactorily to the United States. Rear Admiral Cotton adds that Beirut is now quiet. There is no indication when the American warships may be withdrawn from Beirut.

The state department is informed that Governor General Nazim of Damascus, who has become acting governor general of Beirut, is a broad-minded and energetic official, thoroughly appreciative of foreigners and their rights.

SOFIA, BULGARIA, Sept. 11.—The revolutionary headquarters here has received from Burgas news of fearful atrocities committed by the Turkish and Albanian soldiers in the vilayet of Adrianople. A squadron of Turkish cavalry intercepted and slaughtered fugitives attempting to cross into Bulgaria. Sixty Bulgarians were killed within three kilometres of the frontier. The whole district of Losengrad is filled with Albanian troops who are burning villages and massacring the inhabitants. They have killed 80 persons and have slain 15 others in the village of Kula, 32 old people in the village of Evekleez, 18 families at Yaspela and 20 families at Asmadgik.

Eighty Families Slaughtered.

Eighty families fleeing from various villages toward the frontier have been literally cut to pieces by Turkish soldiers during the last few days. Hundreds of old men, women and children of the district of Losengrad have crossed the frontier.

A large body of infantry and cavalry with three mountain batteries attacked an insurgent band in the mountains above Vasiliko. The insurgents awaited the near approach of the troops and then hurled bombs at them. After two hours' fighting the Turks were forced to retire with the loss of 20 men killed and many wounded. The losses of the insurgent forces were slight.

The first indication of the Greeks aiding the Bulgarians against Turkey appears in a circular addressed by the general staff of the Eighth revolutionary district to the Greek towns and villages in the vilayet of Adrianople. It expresses pleasure at hearing that the Greeks desire to join their Bulgarian brethren in the fight for liberty and invites the Greeks to send delegates to formulate plans for joint action.

The mixed population of Greeks and Bulgarians in 15 villages of the Kostur have joined the insurrection.

PARIS, Sept. 11.—Orders to have a naval division ready to sail for the Levant resulted from recommendations of the French ambassador at Constantinople to have a strong force in readiness. These recommendations were made during the excitement at Constantinople. It is semi-officially stated that the French naval division will also operate at Salonica and other points, for the protection of French residents in Macedonia.

BERLIN, Sept. 11.—The Lokal Anzeiger today published a dispatch from Sofia, Bulgaria, saying that Prince Ferdinand has not yet returned to the capital and that he is still in seclusion at the castle of Euxinograd with several favorites, all the approaches to the castle being strongly guarded by soldiers. All the purveyors for the royal establishment, it is added, are searched before entering the castle. It is asserted here that the Bulgarian cabinet is playing on Prince Ferdinand's fears.

IT WAS NOT A MURDER.

Edward Hopkins' Death Due to Being Run Over.

"I have investigated the death of Edward Hopkins," said Inspector R. McStay last night. "The man evidently met death by being knocked down or run over by a cart, wagon or street car. At the Homeopathic hospital I was told that the nature of the man's wounds or injuries were such as to dismiss the idea of murder."

Hopkins was found unconscious in an alley near the Union station about 3 o'clock Tuesday morning and taken to the Homeopathic hospital, where he died yesterday morning. His skull was fractured and his right arm dislocated. The man lived at No. 43 Congress street and was 40 years old.

Thinks He Has Money Coming to Him.

Herman L. Zumpe, an employe of the Westinghouse air brake works at Braddock, and a resident of Middle avenue, Wilmerding, is a relative of Herman Zumpe, the German composer, who died Wednesday in Munich. Herr Zumpe left no will, and believing that he is interested in a share of it, Mr. Zumpe of Wilmerding, has hired counsel to look after his case.

DIED.

JORDAN—At Wilkinsburg, on Friday, September 11, 1903, at 3:45 o'clock p. m., HARRY JORDAN, husband of Catharine Jordan, in his 50th year.

Funeral services at his late residence, No. 1917 Swissvale avenue, Wilkinsburg, on Sunday, September 13, at 2 p. m. Interment at Homewood cemetery.

TAX ORDINANCE CONTAINS FLAWS

Original Bill Was Drawn by Stevenson, C. S. Crawford and Larkin.

A SUBSTITUTE IS OFFERED

Chairman Wainwright Criticises Fourteenth Councilman for Propoding New Scheme—Lack of Quorum Prevented Meeting of Committee.

Chairman Samuel J. Wainwright, Jr., was the only member of the finance committee of select council present yesterday afternoon, and consequently the consideration of the ordinance levying a tax of 5 per cent on the gross receipts of public service corporations was postponed until 2:15 o'clock Monday afternoon, when there will be another effort to get a meeting. President John S. Lamole of select council, who is an ex-officio member of the committee, was present yesterday.

Chairman Wainwright said that a meeting of the committee would be surely held Monday afternoon previous to the meeting of select council, so that the ordinance might be returned to that body for action.

"Our committee is being blamed for the delay of this ordinance, and I am anxious to get it out of our hands. The fact is the ordinance was sent to the city solicitor in July and he has just returned it. I cannot understand the position of W. H. Stevenson. A month ago he was after me to have the ordinance passed, and now he wants us to hold it up."

If the ordinance passes select council Monday afternoon, as Chairman Wainwright thinks it will, it will go back to common council Monday night for concurrence, so some amendments, changing the time for the measures to take effect, have to be made by the select council committee.

W. H. Stevenson proposes to take advantage of this fact to have action on the ordinance postponed in common council until his new franchise tax ordinance can be referred to the finance committee, acted upon by that body and returned to councils. If he succeeds in delaying the original ordinance he will then try to have his new ordinance substituted for it.

It is claimed that the original ordinance was prepared by Mr. Stevenson, C. S. Crawford and Controller John P. Larkin, and that it is far from being a perfect legal document. The select council committee erred in not having the entire ordinance revised by the city solicitor. Notwithstanding its faulty condition the select council committee is bent upon passing it and placing the responsibility of its fate in court upon common council where the ordinance originated.

WOULD PUT A HUMP ON THE FT. WAYNE BRIDGE

Local Government Engineer Makes His Report to the War Department.

The report of Capt. W. L. Sibert, the local government engineer, published yesterday, contained few surprises to those who have kept in touch with the bridge situation.

The report was dubbed "the hottest report ever submitted to the war department by an engineer officer in connection with any river and harbor work."

The conclusion reached is that which Capt. Sibert has been known to hold. The Ft. Wayne bridge is the structure under particular question, although attention is paid to all the other bridges. It states the Ft. Wayne structure should be elevated so as to give more clearance height in the channel span of 418½ feet. The shore piers, he thinks, are high enough. Just how putting a hump in that bridge is going to help out transportation interests in Pittsburgh to a greater extent than it will harm them, he does not explain.

Mr. Sibert assumes that "the people" have a right to both tow and packet transportation on the navigable streams, and in computing this for the Allegheny, there has been taken into consideration. Accepting the height of the boats on the Monongahela as a criterion he reaches the conclusion that provision should be made in the Allegheny for boats at least 82½ feet high.

The cost in raising the bridges has been grossly overestimated by their owners, according to Mr. Sibert, and the damages to the abutting property have been likewise stretched greatly, he thinks.

MURDER IS SUSPECTED.

Officials Investigating the Death of Conrad Stream in Spring Garden Borough.

What may prove to be murder is now being investigated in Spring Garden borough by County Detectives J. W. Reed and R. L. McMillan and Deputy Coroner Joseph Clinton. The death of Conrad Stream, aged 52 years, was reported to the coroner's office yesterday as having occurred at the man's home, Spring Garden borough, at 4 p. m. of acute alcoholism.

On Labor day it is said Stream was drinking heavily and quarreled with his wife. A man, whose name is not known, to the coroner's office, interfered during the trouble, and is alleged to have struck the old man several times in the face and on the body. The corpse showed signs of blows, which may prove the theory of the county detectives.

DAY OF DEATH FIXED.

Neier Ordered Hanged November 12, but Sentence May Be Commuted.

Gov. Samuel W. Pennypacker yesterday fixed November 12 as the time of execution of George Meier, convicted of having shot and killed his blind brother-in-law at the home of the latter in Mt. Oliver borough on the night of October 29, 1902.

District Attorney John C. Haymaker will, it is understood, agree to an application to have the sentence commuted. Neither the warden nor the jail physician would discuss the case further than to say that the man is undoubtedly partially insane. The man gives no trouble, however, but his actions are strange.

CARRIE NATION SCOLDS AND THEN LEAVES CITY

Carrie Nation drifted into town yesterday and had a stormy time getting out. She came in over the Pennsylvania railroad and went into the depot restaurant to eat. While awaiting her order a waiter accused a woman carrying a bundle of theft. Then Carrie began to talk. Detective Swinehart took her in tow to put her on the train. When in the general waiting room she opened her valise and began to sell souvenir hatchets. She disposed of two when the police ordered her to stop selling them or they would arrest her. This made her very angry, but she obeyed, although she scolded the officers and the city in general. She had tickets for Terre Haute, Ind.

War Veterans to Reorganize.

The War Veterans association of Allegheny, which has practically been disbanded for some time, met last night in the lecture room of the Carnegie library for the purpose of reorganizing. In the absence of W. J. Bradberry, the chairman, J. J. Shook occupied the chair, and Thomas G. Sample was secretary. It was decided not to transact any business until the return of Mr. Bradberry and another meeting is scheduled for Friday night of next week. Addresses were made by several of the members on the political situation.

SOLDIER IS STILL IN THE ARSENAL

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saw them loading it on the wagon. Lieut. Drury refused to discuss this subject.

The police also have this evidence. Capt. Peter Welch of No. 3 police district called at the arsenal yesterday afternoon and had a long talk with Lieut. Drury. The nature of their conversation is not known. Superintendent of Detectives Thomas A. McQuade detailed Detective Phillip Demmel to make an investigation of the case for District Attorney John C. Haymaker. Detective Demmel went to Lawrenceville and took the statements of the witnesses.

No One Allowed in Arsenal.

The arsenal gates are closed to all visitors. No one is permitted in the grounds. The armed sentries patrol the grounds and they have been instructed to hold no conversation with civilians.

District Attorney John C. Haymaker and United States District Attorney James S. Young had a conference yesterday at noon in reference to turning over the prisoner to the county courts for trial. Both attorneys are of the opinion that the private will soon be a prisoner at the Allegheny county jail. The principal object of their meeting, however, was to assure each other there was no conflict between the federal and county authorities.

Mr. Haymaker is of the opinion that the soldier and his superiors were wrong and hasty in shooting Crowley. In making arrests Mr. Haymaker maintains the soldiers are required to be prudent and careful but as a local officer is required to do. He said the only time a local officer is permitted to shoot a prisoner is when he is escaping and has been guilty of a serious felony.

Mr. Haymaker said if the evidence submitted to him at the shooting of Crowley was correct, the soldier and his superior officer did not use the care and prudence they should have exercised.

Funeral Takes Place Tomorrow.

Crowley will be buried Sunday from the residence of his grandmother, Mrs. William Corless, at No. 127 Almond alley. The services will be held at the house at 2 o'clock. Rev. C. F. Wiles of the Evangelical Lutheran church, Forty-fourth and Sherman streets, will conduct them. The interment will take place in the Allegheny cemetery.

The body was taken from the Allegheny county morgue yesterday morning to the house of Mrs. Corless in Almond alley. During the day there were over 1,000 persons to view the remains. Daniel Crowley, the dead boy's father, said that his son told him just before he died that he had not stolen anything from the arsenal. The boy said he had been in there with two other boys, but they had not taken anything and were not guilty of any crime.

The soldiers frightened them away. They had no idea they were being pursued until the corporal came on them at the railroad.

Mollie Terwilliger of No. 4011 Willow street yesterday reasserted that Lieut. Drury was present at the shooting. Several witnesses say Lieut. Drury stood over Crowley with a 44-calibre revolver in his hand while the boy was lying on the railroad. Lieut. Drury refused to say whether he was present at the shooting.

No Report at War Department.

No report has been made to the war department of the shooting. Col. W. P. Hall, acting adjutant general, when seen by The Gazette correspondent at Washington last night, said that it was a case to be reported to Gen. Chaffee of New York, commander of the department of the east, and that Gen. Chaffee would probably dispose of it without asking the advice of the war department.

"It is customary," said he, "where a soldier has violated the civil law, to turn him over to the local police for trial, and I think there will be no trouble in this case. If the coroner's jury holds the soldier for trial I do not think there would be any question about handing the prisoner over to the police."

From what could be learned at the war department at Washington yesterday, although officials declined to be quoted, Lieut. Drury is within his rights in holding under guard the soldier who did the shooting until he is ordered to turn him over to the police. The lieutenant's superior officer is Gen. Chaffee, and a report of the case must be made to him, when he will decide what shall be done with the prisoner.

The fifty-ninth article of war apparently covers the case, since it provides that a soldier who commits an offense against the civil law shall be tried in the civil courts. If Crowley had been shot while trying to run the sentry lines, then the soldier who shot him would be amenable to the military law and not the civil law. In this case it appears that there can be no reason for not turning the prisoner over to the police, but before doing so Lieut. Drury must have orders to that effect from Gen. Chaffee.

DIED IN MARSHALSEA.

Some Mystery Surrounds the Death of Dennis Sullivan of Kinney Alley

Dennis Sullivan of Kinney alley, who was fined $100 and costs on Monday morning for illegal liquor selling by Magistrate James J. Kirby, died at Marshalsea yesterday. The cause of his death has not been determined, though it is believed that he came to his death during an epileptic fit. Edward Barry, a former Pittsburgh detective who now is a relative of Sullivan, is conducting an investigation, as several bruises on the body point to foul play.

Sullivan with his wife was arrested last Sunday morning. During his detention in No. 1 police station he was charged with several fits. He was given medical attention and each time his wife, who was accustomed to her husband's ailments, directed the treatment, which was administered by the station house attendant. Sullivan appeared for his hearing in good health and nothing more was thought of his attacks until last night when Barry appeared at the station house and reported his death.

Sullivan was unable to pay his fine and the department of charities were notified and had him sent to Marshalsea.

MILLIONAIRE CHAMPLIN IS SUED FOR DIVORCE

CHICAGO, Sept. 11.—(Special.)—Jane Douglass Champlin, wife of Frederick L. Champlin, the millionaire board of trade operator, filed a bill for divorce in court for an divorces that suit today against her husband asking for separate maintenance for herself and child. The bill filed is startling in its charges against Champlin and is an answer to the divorce bill filed by Champlin some time ago. Champlin, but which suit was later dropped.

Dr. Heilman Dead.

KITTANNING, PA., Sept. 11.—(Special.)—Dr. Abner E. Heilman of Rural Valley died of typhoid fever yesterday. He was 47 years old and a graduate of the Baltimore Medical college. He leaves a widow, two sons and a daughter.

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CIGAR SCANDAL AT PENITENTIARY

Revenue Inspectors Discover Irregularities at the Eastern State's Prison.

WARDEN HAS BEEN RELIEVED

Full Extent of Shortage Is Not Known, but Abundant Evidence of Faulty Management Has Been Found by the Inspectors.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 11.—Alleged irregularities have been discovered in the cigar department of the state penitentiary in this city and, acting upon the suggestion of inspectors Johnson and Hart, United States internal revenue officials, Warden Daniel W. Hunsicker has been granted an indefinite vacation and Governor Robert Armstrong, in charge of the cigar manufacturing department has been suspended.

The institution has been placed temporarily in charge of Rev. J. H. Welsh, the chaplain. The investigation covers the period from the first of the year to the first of the present month and the internal revenue officials have closed the cigar department and have impounded all the raw and manufactured material.

While the discovery of a shortage in the cigar factory is acknowledged, the full extent of the tabs will not be known until the experts shall have completed their investigation. It is however, stated by the United States officials that as far as at least 50,000 cigars are unaccounted for and that, at the lowest price of $20 per 1,000 indicate a loss to the state's exchequer of not less than $1,000. Inspector Robinson says each department is to be investigated.

"We have not found anything that militates against the personal integrity and ability of the warden, but we have found abundant evidence that the old methods so long in vogue are faulty and antiquated," said the inspector.

DIRECTOR E. M. BIGELOW WILL GET BILL FOR $25

Labor Day Committee Demands Pay for Stand Given Ward Worker.

Director E. M. Bigelow will receive today or Monday a bill for $25 from the committee that had charge of the recent Labor day celebration in Schenley park. The claim which the Labor day committee has against the director of public works is for a stand privilege which the director is said to have given to a Citizens party worker upon the personal request of Murry A. Verner.

According to the Labor day committee, it was given the exclusive right by Director Bigelow to erect stands in Schenley park on the day of the celebration. After granting this exclusive right to the committee, it is stated a Citizens party ward worker went to Murry A. Verner and asked his assistance to get a stand in Schenley park.

Mr. Verner is said to have given the worker a letter to Mr. Bigelow, asking him to grant the favor. The worker received the desired permit and erected the stand. The Labor day committee discovered this and estimated their loss at $25. A bill for this amount was sent to Mr. Verner.

Mr. Verner wrote the committee a letter of explanation, stating that Director Bigelow had issued the permit. The committee, at a meeting last night, therefore decided to send the bill to Director Bigelow.

HOW TO SELECT A PIANO.

Experience Not Necessary.

Pittsburgh, Sept. 10.—Few people realize the importance in the selection of a piano for their home. It means a companion in after years. If it becomes harsh and "disparaging" in tone, you will always be dissatisfied. If you select a world-renowned make, like the genuine Chickering or the old, reliable Hardman piano, you are sure to have a standard make with a sweet, singing, poetic and responsive tone. Hardman pianos and Hardman player pianos are sold only by W. F. Frederick, the reliable piano dealer, No. 403 Smithfield street; also, 10 other reliable makes at reasonable

WORKERS EAGER TO ENTER FIGHT

Sixth and Eighth Legislative Districts Hold Big Meetings and Discuss Plans.

ARE CERTAIN OF VICTORY

Rousing Gathering at Wilmerding Last Night—Reports from All Sections Show Strong Revival of Republicanism. Organizations Are Formed.

Eighth district Republicans are ready and eager for the fall fight. They are prepared to carry this territory for the whole ticket by one of the old-time majorities.

The first meeting of the workers in the district was held in Cunningham's hall, Wilmerding, last night. It was the largest gathering of the association in its history. Every precinct was represented. There were about 200 workers in attendance.

Fred W. Edwards, the chairman of the district, informed the members that they had been called together to make plans for the fall campaign. From all over the district excellent reports were received. The early canvasses show that great numbers who voted the Citizens ticket last fall will not be fooled by the false reform cries this November.

Thomas J. Ford, chairman of the county committee, made a brief address. He promised victory for the party this fall.

The Republicans of the Sixth legislative district had a largely attended and enthusiastic meeting yesterday afternoon at the county headquarters in Smithfield street. Every precinct was represented and the most encouraging reports were received from every section, showing a hearty revival of Republicanism and a prevailing desire on the part of the voters to set their seal of strong condemnation on the Citizens party for its false promises of reform.

L. L. Davis of Homestead was re-elected president of the association, and R. F. Bigham of Carnegie was chosen secretary. The chairman was authorized to appoint the necessary committee to properly organize the district.

SPECIAL MUSIC WILL BE HEARD TOMORROW

Arrangements Made by Many of the Churches in This Vicinity.

Special musical programs have been arranged for many of the church services throughout the city tomorrow. The Washington and Jefferson college quartet will render a song service at the First Methodist Protestant church of Allegheny tomorrow evening. The Shady Avenue Baptist church has engaged Prof. Everett P. Johnston, formerly of Boston and Chicago, as choir director, and a large choir will be organized.

The Rev. Warren G. Partridge, D. D., will return today from his summer vacation, which was spent at Hamilton, N. Y., and resume his place in the pulpit tomorrow. An interesting program has been arranged for the evening service. A double quartet under the leadership of C. Norman Hassler, will render "Send Out the Light" and "The Sun Shall Shine No More." and Prof. John Gernert, violinist, will render several selections. John G. Everson is organist.

L. A. Kirkland, the rolling mill evangelist of McKeesport, is conducting services in the Mission hall, No. 344 Charles street, Allegheny, every evening. Services will be held tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock and at 7:30 in the evening.

The tent meetings of the Lawrenceville Young Men's Christian association, which have been held during the summer in the Schoenberger grounds, Forty-seventh and Butler streets, will be continued throughout this month. The Rev. Huber Ferguson, pastor of the Tenth United Presbyterian church of Allegheny, will make the address tomorrow afternoon at 4 o'clock.

The second anniversary of the death of President William McKinley will mark the services at the Second Presbyterian church, Pittsburgh, tomorrow evening, it being exactly two years from his death and also being the first evening service in the church since June 14. The services will begin at 7:30 and will be attended by members of the G. A. R., and other military organizations, and the sermon to be preached by Pastor S. Edward Young is entitled, "Two Years Since McKinley Was Slain—Some Things We are Forgetting."

EXCURSIONS TO THE EXPO.

Many Visitors Coming from Points West of Pittsburgh.

The first special excursion to the new exposition will be run today from 114 different points on the lines west of Pittsburgh, and with good weather the streets of the city are sure to be crowded with suburbanites, come to combine the pleasures of shopping with the delights afforded by Pittsburgh's great Point show.

This is Creatore's last Saturday at the exposition, and the last day but two of his engagement. The scenes of enthusiasm in big music hall last night, notably at conclusion of his reading of "Tannhaeuser" overture, were wonderful, to say the least. Local composers have been honored on Creatore's programs for today, which will present a "March Heroic," by Mr. Liefeld, and the waltz "Muggins," by Mr. O'Neill. This afternoon's programs follow:

2 P. M.

March, "Royal Purple" ..... Creatore
Overture, "La Forza del Destino" ..... Verdi
(a) Intermezzo, "Badinage" ..... Herbert
(b) Mazurka, "La Czarine" ..... Ganne
Third act "La Boheme" ..... Puccini
Solos by Sig. Lucci and Croce.

4 P. M.

March, "Tannhauser" ..... Wagner
Prelude, "Traviata" ..... Verdi
Minuet ..... Paderewski
Miserere, from "Trovatore" ..... Verdi
Solos by Sig. Pierno and Croce.
Selection, "Aida" ..... Verdi

New Professor for W. U. P. Elected.

Dr. S. N. Taylor, associate professor of physics at Syracuse university since 1899, has been elected to succeed Prof. S. M. Kintner as professor of electrical engineering at Western University of Pennsylvania. Dr. Taylor and Prof. Weidermann of Erlangen university, Germany, during the last year have been doing special research work and studying the electric systems in Germany. Dr. Taylor, who is a prominent contributor to the technical magazines, is a graduate of the Wesleyan university of Connecticut. He received the degree of Ph. D. at Clarke university, Worcester, Mass.

Practical Joke That Was Cruel.

Pranks of jokers nearly cost Oscar Asbury, aged 19, of No. 1010 Bedford avenue, both of his feet early yesterday morning while he was acting as night watchman in a Diamond street building. The boy fell asleep, when someone poured oil over his clothing and set fire to it. Policeman Morgan found the boy unconscious, suffering from badly burned feet. He was removed to the Homeopathic hospital, where he probably will be confined for a month.

Preparing for Veterans' Reunion.

Braddock members of the Fifty-fourth regiment, Pennsylvania volunteers, have been notified that the surviving members of the regiment will hold their reunion at Winchester, Va., on October 20, in conjunction with the Ringgold cavalry union. William Bennett, chief of police of Braddock, has charge of the arrangements for Monongahela valley members. The regiment was recruited in Cambria county.

New Fourth-Class Postmasters.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 11.—The following fourth-class Pennsylvania postmasters were appointed today: Loletta, Elk county, John H. Driscoll; Panic, Jefferson county, E. B. Johns, Reidenbach's store, Lancaster county, Aaron Weaver.

THREE PERSONS HURT IN WRECK AT CHESWICK

While Running at High Speed the Springdale Accommodation Crashed Into a Heavy Freight Train and Both Were Wrecked.

While running at high speed the Springdale accommodation on the West Penn railroad last evening at 6:15 o'clock ran head-on into a heavy freight train near Cheswick, 15 miles east of Allegheny. Both trains were derailed and wrecked and three people were painfully hurt. The injured were:

J. C. Clark, aged 30, of Springdale, engineer of the accommodation, head, face and breast badly bruised and lacerated.

Miss Sophia Brecker of Springdale, head and face cut by flying glass.

Miss Agnes Notif of Allegheny, back sprained by being thrown from her seat.

The accommodation train left the Allegheny station at 5:45 o'clock and was supposed to have a clear track ahead. It is alleged a flagman became confused in his orders and allowed a freight train running on the westbound track to go on the eastbound track in order to permit another freight train to pass. After the rear freight had passed and before the other train could get back to the westbound track the Springdale accommodation suddenly appeared and dashed into the freight engine. Both engines and several cars of each train were derailed and badly damaged.

Engineer Clark stuck to his post and was hurt when his locomotive left the tracks. The two women were riding in the second car of the accommodation and with the other passengers were thrown violently from their seats to the floor of the car. The injured were taken back to Cheswick, where their injuries were attended to by Dr. Patterson, and then they went to their homes. Traffic was tied up on the eastbound track for three hours.

HISTORICAL SOCIETY DESIRES THE RELICS

Members Think Bones and Other Objects Dug Up in Allegheny Are Valuable.

Members of the Historical Society of Western Pennsylvania have been convinced that the skeletons and relics unearthed in the lot at No. 1013 Perry street, Allegheny, are of intrinsic value, as antiquities worthy of preservation by their order, and an effort is to be made to secure for the society every object discovered that has not been carried away by souvenir hunters. The latter have been busy since the first skeleton was dug up on Wednesday morning, and many flint arrow heads, portions of curious neck laces, and broken and decayed bows have been picked up and carried off. However, the more valuable relics have been secured and are being guarded by the men at No. 1 patrol station.

Some time today William T. Lyon, secretary of the Historical society, accompanied by several members of the organization, will visit the site of the supposed Indian mound and will commence negotiations with John Richter, owner of the property, for the transfer of the skeletons and other relics to the society. Mr. Lyon thinks the objects found mark the location of an old Indian burial ground that has remained undisturbed for probably a century.

While ploughing in the lot in which the skeletons were found workmen yesterday unearthed the skull and most of the larger bones of a man. This is the third human frame that has been brought to the surface since Wednesday. No. 1 patrol station was visited by several hundred people yesterday who wanted to view the objects that have been taken in charge by the police.

CIVIL WAR VETERANS WILL HOLD REUNION

Survivors of Seventy-Seventh and Seventy-Eighth Pennsylvania to Gather.

The Seventy-seventh and Seventy-Eighth Pennsylvania Volunteers will hold reunions next Thursday in Union Veteran Legion hall, No. 229 Fifth avenue. Business meetings will be held at 2 p. m., and a camp-fire will follow. The hall will be open from 9 a. m. to serve as a general headquarters and give the members an opportunity to register and secure their badges.

Both of these regiments were in the Negley brigade, that left Pennsylvania in steamboats in the early part of the rebellion, and saw so much service in the southwest. The Seventy-seventh was commanded by Stanbaugh, Thomas Rose and W. H. Robinson, in succession. It has three Pittsburgh companies commanded by Rose, Lemon and R. H. Long, the rest of the command coming from eastern counties. It had the distinction of being the one Pennsylvania regiment to fight at Shiloh.

The Seventy-eighth was known as the Kittanning regiment, and was led by Col. William Serwell during the entire three years it was in the service.

The details of the reunions are being arranged by the secretaries of the regimental association—Campbell Stanton of the Crucible Steel Company, in the Frick building, for the Seventy-seventh, and L. A. Hollister of Wilmerding, for the Seventy-eighth.

The Seventy-seventh regiment will dedicate its monument on the battle field of Shiloh November 13. The state will furnish transportation to the survivors and a large attendance is expected.

Local Civil Service Examinations.

The United States civil service commission announces that an examination for the position of fireman in the postoffice building of Pittsburgh will be held October 15. The applicant must be between the ages of 21 and 50, be of good physical condition and have experience. An examination for the position of mechanical draftsman in the ordnance department at large will be given on October 21-22. There are six vacancies in the department, and the salary is $1,200 a year. An examination to fill the position of Roumanian and Slavonic interpreter in the immigration service will be held October 21. The applicant must be a citizen of the United States, and the salary is $1,200 a year.

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Residents of Twenty-Third Ward Revive Project to Open New Acreage.

Residents of the Twenty-third ward are taking an active interest in the revival of the project to build a new street car line to connect Hazelwood and Glenwood with the Oakland district. The route proposed is from Oakland along Sylvan avenue and Oakwood street to Johnston avenue, and out this street to North Homestead and Swissvale. The project was favored by city officials some time ago, and had the sanction of practically all the property owners along the right-of-way. Surveys were made, and it is believed that an attempt will be made to have the line built this winter or early in the spring.

The proposed road would open up over 100 acres of the finest frontage in the city, the Blair and Johnston estates. At present these tracts are nearly inaccessible, and have been held back for years on this account, although the territory all around them has built up with good houses. The new road would follow the hill, but only about half way up, so that it would be convenient for residents both above and below it. It would also afford a shorter route to Hazelwood and would avoid the filthy ride that residents of the Twenty-third ward now have to make through the mill district by the Second avenue line.

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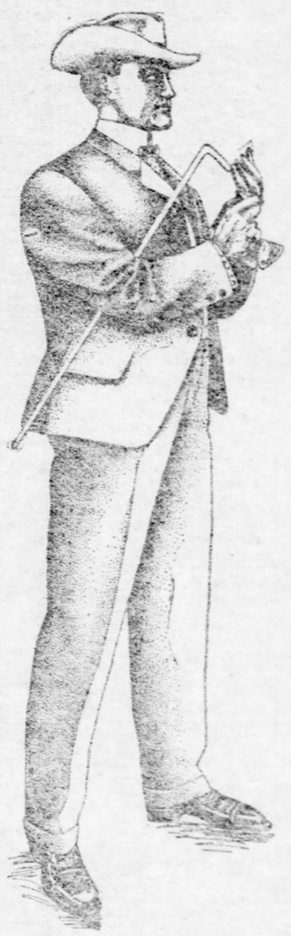

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New Demi-Negligee Shirts from Paris are ready—starch the bosom, if you want, when weather is cool; as long as weather is warm let it go negligee. The material madras, bosoms either plain or pleated. Immense line of fancy colors, $2, $3.50.

And in this Men's Department we are showing men's *new Paris Waistcoats*, just over. Personally selected them from the most famous Parisian authorities, and the patterns cannot be duplicated anywhere in America. For dressiness they are simply unequaled. $8.50 each.

Other new things for men as follows:

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News this morning of the smart, thoroughly well made, inexpensive suits.

$15. New Walking Suits of checked suiting. The jacket is 25 inches long, blouse front effect, prettily trimmed with straps of self material, further ornamented with patent leather belt, full sleeve with turn-back cuff; skirt 9-gore pleated flare, inverted pleat back, straps of same material.

$16.50. Street Suits of oxford and blue camel's hair—¾ length double-breasted blouse, finished with stitched bands of taffeta; 7-gore skirt, lap seams, neatly stitched at bottom. These particular suits have the general effect of, and as to style are equal to, very much higher priced suits.

$20. Walking Suits of men's cloth, bluish gray invisible check, half fitting Norfolk jacket; 7-gore full flare skirt, habit back, double stitched seams.

$25. New and exceedingly stylish Dress Suits of blue and brown cheviot; long coat, blouse front, trimmed with groups of narrow bands of taffeta; pouch sleeve with deep double cuff; 7-gore skirt, trimmed to simulate skirt. This skirt has flounce and habit back.

Just a Word or Two On New Separate Skirts.

The first thing we want to tell women is that we have out sizes in new black skirts of herringbone cheviot—such waist sizes as 28 inches, 30, 32 and 34 inches. These new skirts are in 7-gore flare style, lap seams, finished with two-inch strapping at flare. They are excellent skirts and the price is $12.50 each.

$7.50. New Walking Skirts of three different materials, Zibeline, Cheviot and Scotch Mixtures. Such colors as tan, brown, gray and blue. Two styles—one 7-gore flare with strapped hips and two rows of strapping over front gore; the other, 7-gore, lap seams, stitched yoke.

$10. New Dress Skirts of black cheviot and black broadcloth, made 7-gore flare with trimmings of silk and self material, finished with buttons. This skirt has habit back.

Worth Coming for These Kid Gloves Rain or Shine.

That's our advice to women regarding our $1 gloves.

We are ready to affirm that outside of this store such good gloves cannot be bought for less than $1.25 and often $1.50. They were made especially to our order by one of the best of French kid glove makers. They are fit to accompany any stylish costume. You may be sure we wouldn't laud these gloves so high did they not deserve it.

For $1 women can buy new two-clasp Glace Kid Gloves, the backs handsomely embroidered. Every color and the tints of colors. Perfect fit in every case.

For $1 we have a new Mannish Cape Glove, with strapped seams. It is a handsome glove, strictly for the street.

Another line of gloves that we have brought over comprises fine two-clasp Pique Gloves, made of real French kid, with broad seams. All colors and color shades.

Women's New Autumn Coats.

The styles are more varied than ever, such lengths as 27 inches, 40 inches and 45 inches, are coming forward for most favor. We are showing these lengths either in coat back or in plain flat back, and in various coat materials. Prices $20, $25 and $30.

The pert and pleasing little 19-inch close-fitting Jacket still has many friends, especially among women who like something to throw on these cool evenings. Of course, covert is the short jacket material—$10, $15, $20.

Some new cloth Ulsters are ready—just what women who go a-travelling need. Not out of order for street wear, either, indeed, they are decidedly stylish for the street. Brown mixtures in herringbone weave, double-breasted front, fitted back, velvet collar, coat sleeve with turnback cuff, fancy metal buttons, $20.

Another line of stylish Ulsters, brownish flecked cloth, made on about same lines as the foregoing, $20.

New and stylish three-quarter Loose Coats of dark covert cloth, deep cape rolling to waist line; fancy wide sleeves; black velvet collar with touches of red broadcloth and gilt braid. Entire garment finishes with stitchings and pipings of red. And the price of this stylish coat is only $25.

Autumn Stockings for Big and Little Children.

Medium, fine, finest—that's the best way we can put it—except to say they are always less in price than elsewhere. Our range of qualities in boys' and girls' stockings begins with fine French grades and descends to the good stocking for 25c a pair.

Young ladies' and boys' black Stockings of French cotton, narrow and corduroy rib, from 50c a pair to $1.50, according to size.

Young ladies' and girls' plated Silk Hose, various colors besides white and black, 50c a pair to $1.00, according to size.

Boys' Corduroy Ribbed Stockings, black, a German make, from 40c a pair up to 60c, according to size.

Children's and young ladies' black German Cotton Stockings, all with double splicings, plain and ribbed, 25c, 35c, 50c a pair.

Note—We take special orders for Silk, Lisle and Cotton Hose, and give them our earnest attention.

The New Golf Vests for Autumn.

More and more are women taking up the Golf Vest, and this is not confined to the young set, either. It is undeniably dressy, and in the cool weather it is exceedingly comfortable.

Our new lines are ready, second floor.

Single-breasted—white, red, black, navy—$1.25 each.
Double-breasted—same colors—$1.50 each.
Fancy Golf Vests in white with either blue, red, green or black—from $2.50 each easily along to $5.

The New Ostrich Feather Boas.

Always in demand for the finishing touch to a complete and handsome costume. Just as popular in Paris, from whence Fashion issues her commands, as they ever were.

Never such a showing as we are now ready to ask women to see.

Ostrich Feather Boas, from $20 each easily along to $135.

Ostrich Feather Stoles from $30 rising easily to $100.

Saturday for Viewing the New Millinery.

Make the whole of today a view day, use your time in looking through case after case of Millinery ready on the third floor—new and handsome styles from Paris, from New York, from our own workrooms.

Inexpensive Hats and Toques, refined Mourning Millinery, the newest conceits for girls, the newest ideas in boys' and girls' Autumn caps.

Women's ready to wear Hats of Felt and cloth variously trimmed, $2.50 and up to $10.
Women's beautifully trimmed Hats of velvet, chenille and chiffon, from $5 and up to $25.
Children's handsome broad brim Hats, from $1.50 up to $4.50.
Boys' and girls' Tams, Etons and Golf Caps, 50c and up to $1.

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Saturday, September 12, 1903.

The report that cholera is raging in parts of Syria introduces a new factor in the Turkish muddle, seemingly of slight importance now, but perhaps destined to play a large role. Nearly all the great plagues that have swept the western world have entered it by way of Turkey. Sanitary conditions in times of peace are far from good in the sultan's domain—even Constantinople, despite its scavenger dogs, reeks with filth. In a time of war and turbulence unfavorable conditions will be aggravated; disease will have free play. Besides, the movements of troops and of fugitives favor the spread of contagions.

At a meeting of the Carnegie board of trustees yesterday an answer was formulated to the city's inquiry concerning the municipal representation on the board and the plans for the technical school. This formality having been attended to there really appears no reason why, when councils meet, the technical school site transfer should not be made and the way opened for a prompt beginning of the work of construction. The institution is needed. It will make opportunity for the education of the Pittsburgh youth upon lines of advantage to the youth and to the city. The sooner it is built and in operation the quicker will results be achieved. The delays have already been long and irritating. Now it is time to do business.

Gen. Adna R. Chaffee's order to Commandant Drury appears to end the question of jurisdiction. After that comes the questions of right, duty and guilt. These will depend upon questions of fact. If the young man who was shot was in the act of committing a crime that fact will tell in favor of the soldier who did the shooting. If the victim had surrendered it is a point against the sentry. Those questions, however, must be left for the courts, the juries and the evidence to determine. One may hear much in a case like this that is not true. That is why the law provides for a careful procedure without prejudice and the determination of guilt or innocence by evidence weighed and sifted. In any event it may be assumed that justice will finally be done.

Official notices sent out to put the wires underground are apparently not of equal severity. One company is told it must have every wire buried within 30 days or suffer the consequences. It retaliates with a demand for the immediate removal of the city wires from its poles and the city appears to have no appropriation available for that purpose. Another company denies that it has had any notice to put its wires underground. This looks like discrimination. If true, it may pertinently be asked why one corporation is ordered to act at once and another is not? Is it possible that an exchange of favors is contemplated between the city government, some of the wire companies and some of the campaign committees? We hope not. Such a thing is too awful to consider in reform times.

Up to last accounts no statement had been obtained from ex-Senator Mitchell affecting the alleged percentage paid upon the Clarion normal school appropriation of 1901. It may be, however, that Mr. Mitchell has mailed the statement and that it is merely delayed in transmission. As for the other disclosures of the investigation they are simply confirmatory of those previously brought out. Practically the payment of a percentage on the appropriation to some one is admitted. The only way to get additional facts and to get to the bottom of the matter is to institute criminal proceedings, and force the attendance of witnesses. By that means it may be possible to learn the true inwardness of the matter and at the same time give a warning against future treatment of public appropriations as a private snap.

Possibly the award of Commissioner Neal of an advance of 5 per cent of the increased selling price of anthracite coal to the miners will make them more satisfied with the awards made by Umpire Carroll D. Wright. At any rate these two incidents show that the anthracite miners and operators have obtained, out of the labors of the strike commission appointed by President Roosevelt, a working system which, if adhered to in good faith, will keep them out of serious trouble. They have a machine for the adjustment of all differences and for the fixing of scales of wages that, while not quite automatic, will work satisfactorily if given a chance. It is a big advance over the conditions prevailing for so long in the anthracite region, which made it the abode of continuous strife.

Castro's government in Venezuela is cutting up more capers. The mixed commission sitting in the case of the Belgian company owning the water works at Caracas has rendered a decision awarding the Belgians $2,000,000. The commission was composed of one Belgian, one representative from Holland and one for Venezuela and the decision was unanimous. Though the proceedings were supposed to be secret the Venezuelan government gave out the findings at once and the semi-official press is filled with complaints against the Dutch commissioner, who is a distinguished jurist. Thus, while Castro permits the submission of all claims to mixed commissions he is making the work of those bodies difficult and unpleasant. In other words, his government pays its debts with a bad grace if, indeed, it pays at all.

Future of Panama.

The prosperity of the state of Panama ought to have been a consideration of weight with the Colombian congress in its final disposition of the canal treaty. It does not seem to have been, however. The future of Panama is dependent on the canal enterprise. If the waterway is completed the prosperity of the isthmian state is assured. If work is not resumed the effect will be calamitous. It is apparent that the isthmus is at the moment on the brink of ruin, from which it can be saved only by the completion of an agreement by Colombia with the United States, which will enable the latter to take over the canal concession from the French company and proceed with the work, unless, indeed, it resort to revolution, as has been threatened. The present actual conditions on the isthmus are indicated in this Associated Press dispatch from Paris:

> The president of the council of ministers has sent a letter to the prefects directing them to warn the people against ill advised immigration to the isthmus of Panama in expectation of an early resumption of work on the canal. The president quotes the French consul at Panama as saying that many Europeans and inhabitants of the French colonies are arriving there, and that the country is very unhealthy and plunged in complete misery. Caution is also given against the establishing of commercial enterprises at Panama without full knowledge of the risks.

While the tone of this is pessimistic as to the future, its present significance is in the light it throws on existing conditions. The country is "plunged in misery" now because of the refusal of the Colombian congress to approve the canal treaty, and this misery, instead of being alleviated, will continue and grow worse until the country is depopulated. This ought not to be a matter of indifference to the people of Colombia. It ought not to be a matter of indifference to the Colombian congress. It is not a matter of concern to the United States, except as it makes a claim on the popular sympathy. But as the welfare of the isthmus and adjacent regions is dependent on the action of the national congress of Colombia with regard to the canal, it is surprising to find it in a mood to let slip an opportunity that assures prosperity, and in such large measure, to the isthmian country. In view of all that the action of the Colombian congress means to Panama, and in view of the light that is shed by the news from Paris, it is little wonder that there is talk in Panama of revolution. Adherence to rejection of the canal treaty means ruin, for which revolution is a mild alternative. Revolution might not succeed, but the condition of Panama after an attempt at revolution could hardly be worse than it will be if the Panama canal project is killed.

Pennsylvania Democracy.

There have been some interesting views expressed concerning the recent Pennsylvania Democratic state convention and its failure to declare itself on any subjects of national importance. One of the most entertaining of these is an editorial comment of the Chicago Inter-Ocean on platform omissions. The Inter-Ocean said of the so-called declaration of principles:

> It disregards utterly the Chicago platform of 1896 and the Kansas City platform of 1900; it ignores the existence of the noble specimen of physical manhood who has led the party during the last eight years to two successive defeats; it neither views with alarm nor points with pride to the heaven ordained ratio; it abstains religiously from any form of assault upon the United States supreme court; it has not a word to offer in behalf of free trade or in support of a tariff for revenue only; does not suggest a solution of the currency problem, avoids anything that could be interpreted as an opinion on the trusts, declines to meddle with the expansion doctrine, neglects the Panama canal, and refuses even to offer a word of cheer to the band of humanitarians who believe that the Tagals and Moros were, are, and by right ought to be a free and independent people, according to the highest Bostonian ideals.

The Philadelphia Ledger is moved by perusal of the foregoing to attempt to wither the Pennsylvania Democratic organization and its managers with sarcasm, picturing the Keystone Democracy as a mere annex to the Republican organization, content to accept "the crumbs which fall from the table or the lees that are left in the bottom of the glasses" after the Republicans have banqueted on the federal and state patronage. "Why should the Democratic leaders vex themselves with national politics?" asks the Ledger. "For them there is nothing in it. Their concern for provincial politics is natural; it is bread and meat for them. It may be different some day, but the day of the regeneration of the Democratic party in Pennsylvania has as yet set in the sky no sign, no promise of the dawn."

The Ledger, unfortunately, in this comment, is unjust to the people of Pennsylvania. The Pennsylvania Democratic organization has for two years abstained from expressions on Democratic national policies not because it is an annex to the Republican organization, but because the Republican sentiment of Pennsylvania is so overwhelming that it only further "queers" the prospects of a Democratic candidate for a state office to associate him with national issues. The Democratic abstinence from declarations last year concerning national topics was not in deference to the Republican organization for the purpose of being permitted to gather the crumbs and the lees, but was an attempt to obscure national issues by confining discussion to state topics exclusively in the hope that the people of Pennsylvania might be fooled into helping to elect Democrats for the encouragement and inspiration of Democrats outside Pennsylvania. The attempt was a rank failure, and the Pennsylvania Democracy, which had cherished the hope that it might by subterfuge elect a governor in this state and thus start him on the way to the presidency, besides sending an eminent Pittsburgher to the United States senate, found itself on its rude awakening in November at the bottom of the same old hole that had been dug for it by national Democratic policies. Democratic abstinence from declarations on national issues in the convention of the present year is a mere continuance of last year's policy, partly for the purpose of keeping up consistency and partly because the chief sachem of the party in this state desires to preserve a mind open to the influences which may dominate the Democracy of the nation, or its majority faction, next year. For these reasons, because of these facts, we say that the Philadelphia Ledger in its comments on the Pennsylvania Democracy is unjust to the people of Pennsylvania. The unenviable position of the Democratic party in this state is due wholly to the intelligence of the people of Pennsylvania, which rises so superior to the national policies of the Democracy as to make the Democratic minority here a constantly decreasing quantity, and to impress the leaders of that minority that the only hope for Democrats in this state is in endeavoring to make Republicans forget that there are any national issues. The people of Pennsylvania decline to play the game. The circumstance that the Democrats ignore national questions does not abolish them, and Pennsylvanians last year voted as they will vote this year and next, with both eyes on all issues, whether state or national. If the Democracy of Pennsylvania is innocent, credit it to Pennsylvania intelligence. There would be no Democratic party were the average intelligence of the nation as high.

The Business Situation.

Two reports came to hand this week having a direct bearing upon general trade conditions. These related to the production of pig iron and the condition of the crops—the two most important industries of the country. The production of pig iron as of September 1 was reported by the Iron Age at 370,833 gross tons per week. This was an increase at the rate of 8,503 tons a week compared with the August output, and an increase at the rate of 35,644 tons per week compared with the output at the corresponding date last year. The production is about 25,800 tons a week below the maximum reported on June 1, which was the largest in the history of the industry. The amount of furnace stocks on hand at the opening of September showed an increase of 57,626 tons for the month and 320,550 tons compared with one year ago. What might be classed as surplus stocks now amount to a little more than 400,000 tons, which is the largest for the year. These statistics furnish the cause for the declining tendency in the price of iron. From the standpoint of the producer the situation is unfavorable only when compared with 1902 and 1901. From the standpoint of the consumer, the figures show that production is at last overtaking consumption, and that the day of insufficient supply and high premiums is passing. At the worst the situation can be said to represent merely a natural reaction in the trade.

Of the government crop report it may be said briefly that it was less favorable for wheat and more favorable for corn than expected. The wheat harvest is practically completed and the yield is up to the average. In all probability the price realized for our exportable surplus will be relatively high, because there is an admitted shortage in foreign crops and the domestic consumption is steadily increasing. The indicated yield of corn is something over 2,500,000,000 bushels. This estimate is based upon the figures of average conditions as of September 1. In the surplus states the condition is low and the crop is backward. September will be the crucial month for this crop and the farmers will be fortunate if they harvest 2,000,000,000 bushels. The money value of an average corn crop is higher than that of any other and interest will therefore center in weather conditions in the corn states during the ensuing three weeks.

The stock market has come almost to a standstill. The stagnation is not confined to Wall street, neither is the declining tendency of values. English consols sold down to the lowest price since 1870 during the week and foreign government securities generally were lower. The cause of the depression in high-grade securities abroad, and particularly government obligations, is similar to that which has resulted in the decline in industrial securities in the United States. The new issues have been excessive and the troubles in Turkey foreshadow additional issues. When the political outlook is lowering there is a tendency to husband financial resources, and a gradual rise in foreign discount rates has been witnessed during the past two weeks. When rates for money advance the market value of securities generally declines, and this movement is in progress on foreign exchanges. There is a close bond of sympathy between international markets and conditions abroad have been reflected in Wall street.

With speculation stagnant and trade slackening there is a shrinkage in bank exchanges, but this falling off has been confined largely to the principal financial centers. On the other hand railroad earnings are maintained at the highest level for any corresponding period in previous years, indicating that there is little if any diminution in the volume of legitimate trade.

The death of one boy as a result of the carjumping habit should open the eyes of traction officials and the public safety department to the necessity of stopping this dangerous juvenile diversion. A score of two of arrests, with salty fines followed up by a stalwart application of Solomon's prescription, would do something toward breaking up the habit.

Rumors in Dame Fashion's realm indicate the straight front is doomed, which will eliminate the S-shaped girl. Fate advises that crinoline may be coming to again, which means a revival of the A-shaped girl. The vagaries of feminine deformity are seemingly limited only by the resources of the alphabet.

Bishop Alexander Walters of the African Methodist Episcopal Zion church says that "submission has been carried too far and is the cause of all the recent race troubles." This is queer logic and doubly queer coming from one who preaches the gospel that says "Resist not evil."

The superintendent of Kingsley house, who has been in this city a year, says you can not get anything done here unless you are on the right side politically. But you can get lots of things promised if you aren't.

Bill Turner of the Cooley gang, who was fatally shot at Uniontown, carried 12 bullets in his body from previous fights. This ought to settle the wiseacres who say 13 is not an unlucky number.

Although a club has been organized at Binghamton, N. Y., to promote marriage among members of the Methodist Episcopal church, it is to be presumed that no good offer will be refused.

If R. Wagner, late of Bayreuth, who was something of a gymnast himself, could see Signor Creatore lead the march of the Nibelungen, he would turn green with envy.

Tom Johnson may not have told Private Dalzell that he expected to be beaten by 50,000 majority but the majority will nevertheless be large enough to do the business.

Senator Beveridge's assurance that there will be no radical financial legislation is almost an assurance that there will be legislation of the sort that is most needed.

There are still five revolutionary war pensioners on Uncle Sam's roll. There is nothing like patriotism to promote longevity even unto the third and fourth generation.

A shortage of 50,000 cigars has been discovered in the tobacco department of the state penitentiary at Philadelphia. That is rather a large allowance for the convicts.

Minister Leishman is working the sultan into such a frame of mind that he is almost ready to promise not only to pay all that he owes but to lend money.

Every day will not be the same as Sunday in Wilkinsburg if there is no ice cream soda on sale on that day.

Wilkinsburg druggists, it appears, have agreed to take their medicine.

The sultan wouldn't bet real money that he is not in the enemy's country.

As a news proposition Manchuria is about as quiet as Reed Street.

IN THE EYE OF FAME.

As the late Allen G. Thurman did not leave enough to pay his debts, the old homestead is to be sold.

Maj. E. H. Ellis of the British war office will examine the military surveys in Canada with a view to having them brought up to date.

Charles F. Ossner of Coshocton, O., has received three sets of Bengal tiger claws from the maharajah Coach Behan of Calcutta, India.

Alexander Meffert, the athlete and champion amateur swimmer of New York city, has been engaged as superintendent of the $60,000 gymnasium of the Missouri Athletic club at St. Louis.

The late Miss Mary E. Conway was founder and for 20 years head of the Colegio Americano in Buenos Ayres. She was the eldest daughter of the late James Conway of Rochester, N. Y., and went to Buenos Ayres in 1877.

Tax Dodging in Umtali and Here.

At a meeting in Cleveland the other day a missionary from Umtali, which is in Africa, told how the natives dodge their taxes.

"When it is time for the collector to come around to one of the kraals, the thrifty natives pull down their individual huts and assemble as one overgrown family, in the biggest hut of all. Then they have to pay taxes only on one large dwelling. When they have all chipped in and paid the assessment, the collector goes away, and they fall to work and build more huts.—Ohio State Journal.

"Speed-Madness" Danger.

In the Detroit automobile races three machines lost their tires. By sheer good luck only one of them killed a spectator when it went off the track. Neither on track nor road is an engine weighing several tons, mounted on tires that may burst or fall off, and wheelmed by rules to its course, a safe thing to handle at railroad speed. Nor under these conditions can it ever be made safe.—New York World.

Roosevelt Hates Crookedness.

One attribute stands out above all others in the character of Theodore Roosevelt. From the days when, as a member of the New York assembly, young Roosevelt advocated unpopular measures simply because he believed them right, the man who is now president of the United States has stood for uncompromising honesty in public office. Even his enemies concede the fact.—Ohio State Journal.

A High Compliment.

Mother Earth (to the moon)—Say, you flat-faced sinner, what are you laughing at?

The Moon—Pardon me, but I wasn't laughing. I was just admiring the fit of your new electric girdle.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Plain Meaning Either Way.

Japan is crazy to have a war with Russia. That sentence is good, however you understand it.—Birmingham Ledger.

THE SILENT SAGE.

How often we hear the expression,
"He tells everything that he knows,"
This is an alarming transgression
And should be cried down, I suppose.
Yet why should we think a man clever
For keeping his mouth shut all day?
The man that says nothing whatever
Knows nothing whatever to say.

Old Socrates was a deep thinker—
His wisdom has never been denied.
Though Soc was no bibulous drinker,
He scattered his talk far and wide.
His tongue wagged serenely—he never
Used owl-like reserve as his play.
The man that says nothing whatever
Knows nothing whatever to say!

Archimedes was also much touted,
Indeed, in his day he was good;
After proving a theory he shouted
"Eureka!" as loud as he could.
He never invented a lever
Without first explaining the way.
The man that says nothing whatever
Knows nothing whatever to say!

True, wise men talk not indiscreetly
They use common sense; but the guys
That shun conversation completely
Are seldom alarmingly wise.
So, let us at all times endeavor
To speak up; why shouldn't we, pray?
The man that says nothing whatever
Knows nothing whatever to say!

—Milwaukee Sentinel.

The Quiet Observer.

By ERASMUS WILSON.

Pymatuning will be the center of attraction today for a large section of Pennsylvania and Ohio.

The cause of it all is the occurrence of the Pymatuning harvest-home picnic in Pymatuning grove, near Transfer.

This is one of the greatest annual events on earth. It may not so appear in the almanac, but almanacs don't know everything.

There are said to be thousands of Pymatuningers in this city and hereabouts, all of whom are proud of the name they bear. Many of these are going back home today to see the folks, talk over old times and get a fill of elderberry pie, for they are pie-eaters from away back.

It may be said, in passing, that pie-eating is a commendable habit, wholesome and preferable, provided the pie is all right.

There's the rub.

Pie artists, like poets, are born with a special gift which, if properly exercised and trained, leads on to fame and happiness. Most country girls are blessed with this peculiar gift, but some of them neglect it, feeling they are for something flasher—music, embroidery, elocution, clerking or typewriting.

But what does a hungry fellow care for music, elocution, embroidery or any such? He is different. It fills a keenly felt want to perfection. And there is something very satisfying about it, which lifts it out of the class of things made merely to taste or to show. These are the frills, while pie is the real thing.

They say you can't fool a Pymatuninger on pie, no matter how many or how fancy the frills you may put on it. He judges by the heart of it, and not by its exterior. He is also able to read the character of the artist who made it. Also to detect whether it was made or bought.

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Mr. Quiet Observer: You ask, "Where, or what, or who is Pymatuning?"

It is a condition rather than a state or material place. For years and years it have been laboring to construct a Pymatuning mythology, and when it is completed you will find that it puts the hug on Grecian mythology in fine style.

One of the reasons why I have not flashed this great work on the public is that I was afraid it couldn't or wouldn't swallow the monster creatures I have restored after the manner of great naturalists. But since the public took so kindly to the specimens recently acquired in Europe, and pictured in The Gazette the other day, I have determined to push my work to a finish.

I will not attempt to describe these Pymatuning monsters, but suffice it to say that the rampholrincus phyllurus, which leads the list of those you pictured, is a mere bat, a moth catcher, a night bird, alongside of some of the Pymatuningarians that I have in mind to restore to life else, if not to die.

"Oh, sir, Pymatuning, the real Pymatuning Virginialis, is a condition of the mind. If you please—a condition the same as heaven is, only different.

Look it over and tell us how the condition strikes you and where. THE PROFESSOR.

Sandy Lake.

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Mr. Quiet Observer: 'Tis not a man, nor is it a town. Your ideas need some pruning. It's a township—Mercer county's pride—and they spell it Pymatuning.

You will find old Pymatuning on the map all right, and a majority of the farms are in Mercer county, but they run over into Ohio. So it is that many of the farmers pay taxes and vote in both states.

The harvest home committee will have no trouble in picking you out when you land at Transfer next Saturday, as the people of that section are all good looking.

It might be well for you to engage Jim Williams to go along as a body guard. He knows everybody out there. It is possible for you to be held up by some one; like a noted lawyer and judge out in Springfield, Ill., many years ago. He was notorious as the plainest and homliest man in the whole community. He took his gun one day and invaded the office of Abe Lincoln. "What's the matter now?" was asked. "Lincoln," said the judge, "I made up my mind today if I could find anybody homlier than I am, he ought to be shot, and after a careful search I've come to the conclusion that you are the chap."

"Well," said Mr. Lincoln, after a careful survey of the judge, "if that's the case you'd better fire away."

PEE DEE ESS.

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Mr. Quiet Observer: In answer to your momentous question, "Where, what or who is Pymatuning?" I beg to say:

First—Pymatuning means, signifies or suggests the home or place of the Pymatuni, a once mighty, hairy and warlike tribe of monsters, now, happily, hopelessly and honorably defunct.

Second—It means a section of country reclaimed from a marvelous, mysterious, marshy, less swamp, which is now as bounteous as it was boundless and boisterous.

Third—It is a place of dangerous delights and delusions.

Therefore, allow me to suggest that in case the reception committee should fail to detect you in the crowd, or if you should succeed in eluding the eagle-eyed McKnight—I say that I suggest that you wander not far afield nor wide, for the place has been strewn with snares and delusions by a most prodical hand.

I have known honest, upright, intelligent men—men of brain, brawn and brass—to come up here from your town, walking as straight as a string, and then go back home all doubled up from an attack of matrimony.

A word to the wise; that's all.

Orrville, O. A PYMATUNE.

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After glancing over these communications the office boy says he would be "skeered" to go up there unless he had a detective along.

Who's afraid?

None need fear to venture where the elderberry grows and pie plants flourish.

It is said there are plants in that section with capacities ranging from one dozen to a dozen dozen per day, and the supply never exceeds the demand. The morals of the neighborhood are correspondingly plentiful and good.

Today Frampton's grove will be a Zion—not merely a phase of Zion reformed church, but a Zion in fact, where all the people gather to wrestle from the heart out, and to manifest their thankfulness in manner and conduct rather than in words that may, or may not, mean what they say.

This is the sort of thankfulness that returns to bless the thankful; the sort of worship that is most pleasing to the Giver of all good, and brings down upon the people the choicest blessings.

Who's afraid to venture into this Zion, or to join these Zionists in their harvest home festivities?

Let the joker joke about Pymatuning as he will, the fact still remains that it is a good place to be along about this time—a mighty good place.

Japanese Club at St. Louis.

The shrewdness of the Japanese is continually proving to us that the asiatic intellect is as penetrating as any other. Once give it the push which launches it into the stream of modern thought. Realizing their singular position among the white races at the World's fair, says the St. Louis Globe-Democrat, they are about to build a clubhouse and hotel here, where they will not be subjected to the annoyances they would unquestionably suffer if they were compelled to mingle with all sorts and conditions of Caucasians; the least of these is being stared at by the liberal and curious. An educated Japanese reveals had manners displayed toward him as strongly as a white man, and to be merely ogled while one eats, reads, sits, walks or talks is offensive. With a club and hotel of their own, the Japanese can at least enjoy a periodic privacy at the fair. The Japanese we encounter in America are mostly traveled men of the world, who are bored by unpleasant contacts in the same degree that refined white men are. Their foresight has warned them to prepare themselves a lounging place where they may feel at home.

The Coal Combine.

It is noted that the recent coal combination, in which the Pittsburgh and Monongahela are consolidated, is for the purpose not of raising prices and monopolizing, but for the purpose of economy and distribution. The aim is said to be to prevent stagnation, under which many miners are forced into idleness at certain seasons of the year.

If there be nothing more serious in this consolidation the country will wish it godspeed. It is, to deal harmonize with its words, the new consolidation will tend to diminish those prejudices and the arrest denunciation of corporations.

The best way to justify a trust is to make it trustworthy.—Boston Journal.

Talked of in New York

GEORGE C. JENKS.

(By Postal Wire to The Gazette.)

NEW YORK, Sept. 11.—The appearance of a seven-foot ghost at midnight in West Seventy-third street has revived memories of the famous bleecker street ghost who disported himself in public dress of ten years ago. The ghost, which may be seen every night in Seventy-third street, according to the residents of that locality, is bald-headed and wears a beaver of the whitest and bells on the bony right arm. With his right hand it shakes windows and only its hand and arm can be seen by the person inside. From the street, however, it is seen that he is very tall and that he walks about above people's heads on nothing in particular. It is all very gruesome and terrifying. The bleecker street ghost was a jovial sort of shade, who bowed to the crowds in the street from the roof of a tall house which had been partly destroyed by fire occasionally going through a coalwalk. The saloonkeeper at the corner near the haunted house swore that the spirit did many other peculiar things and that anyone who would stay all the evening in the gin mill, buying a proper number of drinks, would have a regular ghost-by wax treat entertainment at midnight. It was said afterward that a bowl full of tin roofing was the real explanation of the bleecker street ghost, but the saloon man always scoffed at this explanation. At all events the excitement lasted for more than a week, to the sorrow of which the saloonkeeper sold so much whisky and beer that it made him a comparatively rich man. In these days skeptical people speak of the bleecker street ghost as the gin mill spectre and declare that the saloonkeeper was its promoter. As for the seventy-third street ghost, the mystery still exists and anybody may see the ghost by going there in the pale glimpses of the moon.

Maud S.'s Record in Danger.

Horsemen here are all agog over the reported intention of C. K. G. Billings to send his mare Lou Dillon over the same course in which Maud S. made her record of 2.08¾ to a high-wheeled sulky. Lou Dillon will be hitched to the same kind of vehicle, so that the conditions shall be exactly the same. The general opinion along Broadway near Forty-second street is that Lou Dillon will knock the record of Maud S. to everlasting smash.

Return of the Weather Man.

New York's weather forecaster, E. H. Emery, has just returned from a two weeks' vacation. It is a peculiar coincidence that as soon as he departed the weather in this city became execrable and continued so until today, when he got back. In spite of predictions of rain the day has been smashing and altogether delightful.

Nothing to Be Proud.

J. Edward Simmons, president of the Fourth National bank, says boldly that "no man need be ashamed of the fact that he is a member of Tammany Hall. Some of our best citizens are members of the organization." While it is true that many good citizens are in the Tammany ranks, there is a decided sentiment here that membership in the organization is not entirely a thing to be proud of.

Jerome Among the Doubters.

Jerome, district attorney, has returned to New York from his summer home at Lakewood, and does not seem to be well pleased with the outlook politically. He thinks that Mayor Low is not the strongest candidate to put up against Tammany. As Jerome was largely instrumental in sending the Tiger out of office his remarks are taken to heart in respect. There is a strong feeling of doubt as to Low being the best man to represent the Fusion element, and Jerome's uncompromising denunciation to that effect has therefore particular weight at this time.

Sad Case of Harold Richard Vynne.

Broadway is tonight discussing the latest news from Chicago about Harold Richard Vynne, the novelist and newspaper man who has just been declared insane. Vynne was for a long time a spectacular figure in the night life of Manhattan. Handsome, debonair, talented and knowing everybody, he was always welcome among men and women whose chief aim in life was pleasure. When editor of Town Topics, he was a regular "first nighter," and he wrote about the drama with the same sparkling brilliancy that he applied to every other topic. He wrote many novels, most of them of the decadent type, but always well constructed and clever from a literary point of view. There is a general hope that his condition is not incurable.

When an Automobile Balks.

Along "Automobile row," in upper Broadway, the fatal accident near Tuxedo which resulted in the death of Miss Cornelia Hoffic and serious injury to Dr. Rushmore, is discussed with the particularity of expert knowledge. Types of automobile such as that used by Dr. Rushmore are in some of the storage rooms and examination of them suggests that they should be entirely safe. Still it cannot be denied that when the machinery is out of order the occupant must take a long chance and that is what Dr. Rushmore seems to have done.

Coney Landmarks Threatened.

Coney Island regulars are opposing with all their might and main the project of President Swantrom of Brooklyn borough to make a park right along the shore from Brighton to Western Point. If the promenade should be laid out it would interfere with the business of the shows and refreshment places along the Bowery and Surf avenue. It might make Coney Island quieter and more respectable, but it would do away with a great deal of the fun. There will be a meeting of the residents and taxpayers of the ward in which Coney Island is situated next week and the fight will begin in earnest. Coney Island suits hundreds of thousands of folk who go there on Saturdays and Sundays and holidays for a good time, but on the other hand, there are many casual visitors who would enjoy the seashore better if there were not quite so many fakirs and cheap shows.

Pittsburghers Sail on the Cedric.

The big White Star liner Cedric sailed from this port for Liverpool today. There was a large passenger list notwithstanding that this is the fag end of the summer season. Among those who occupied cabins were some Pittsburgers, including R. W. Scott and Morris James M. and Charles P. Wood.

Pittsburghers in New York.

The following Pittsburghers are registered at the New York hotels today:

Waldorf-Astoria.
Miss Laura G. Smith.
M. C. Ward.
Miss McKeesson.
Mrs. W. S. Warwick.
J. G. Warwick.

Manhattan.
D. W. Kahn.
Mrs. Kahn.
Miss Kahn.
Miss F. D. Irish.
Mrs. D. C. Irish.
H. Kay.
Miss Kay.
J. J. Kay.
Mrs. Kay.
H. Nelson.

Holland.
J. M. Thomson.
Mrs. Thomson.
John G. Thomson.
Mrs. Thomson.
Elizabeth Thomson.
A. Osborne.
Mrs. Osborne.
Mrs. Dudley Horne.
Joseph Horne.

Victoria.
Miss Jessie McNulty.
Mrs. E. C. Sherman.
W. J. McNulty.

Herald Square.
C. D. Gibbs.

Normandie.
F. J. Singer.
Mrs. Singer.
J. J. Cook.
A. E. Cook.

Vendome.
A. Wells.
E. Wells.
E. Williams.
Mrs. Williams.
W. H. Kelso.
Mrs. Kelso.

Cadillac.
H. D. McClellan.

Navarre.
A. V. King.

Cosmopolitan.
E. M. Clark.
Mrs. Clark.
C. B. Mark.

Marlon.
J. D. Jackson.

Continental.
Mrs. B. E. Morris.

Imperial.
E. S. McClelland.
Mrs. McClelland.
Paul Kinnear.
C. P. Kinnear.
T. F. Hilland.
M. H. Cleveland.

Astor.
J. Fox.
Mrs. Fox.
M. Margetts.
T. W. Miller.
H. M. Brown.
J. A. Craig.

Grand Union.
M. C. Beath.

Broadway Central.
Fred Dieger.

Belvedere.
A. Israel.

Kensington.
D. H. Hansen.
Miss Hansen.
M. M. Evans.
Miss M. Hall.

Park Avenue.
T. H. Hicks.

St. Denis.
Mrs. James Kelly.
Miss Ida E. Hudson.
H. H. Rolfe.
C. H. Rolfe.
Thomas Edwards.
Deborne Kidd.

Berthold.
R. D. Lenard.

Ashland.
J. A. Dalbow.
Mrs. Dalbow.
Mrs. J. J. Lynch.

Sinclair.
A. Pearce.
A. J. Schoen.

Grand.
R. D. Sloss.

Fifth Avenue.
Mrs. E. A. Dodd.
Miss Marie Dodd.
Mrs. C. Collins.
Miss Collins.
Mrs. W. W. Kennedy.
Miss Kennedy.
J. A. McCandless.

Broadway.
J. G. Peters.
Mrs. Peters.

Colombia's Demands.

Having gone to the full length of fairness, the United States can neither be blackmailed nor bullied nor wheedled. We have granted all that is reasonable, and there we can afford to rest for the present. If the adherents at Bogota have designs of their own, our policy may well be to await events. We should quite thoroughly understand that our hand cannot be forced, and that we shall deal with the question in the manner that befits a great nation.

One element of such an attitude is to bear no part in any internal difficulties. If Panama proceeds and realizes the false and unlawful policy of the Colombian government, that is national. If she carries the assertion of her own independence to the point of revolution, that is her own lookout. The United States cannot be a party to any internal conflict of a foreign nation. We may be sure, then, that our government will hold a circumspect and correct attitude. If such a conflict ensues and it changes the situations, we can deal with the situation as we find it. We can well leave the Bogota plotters to the just resentment of their own outraged people, but we cannot foment or encourage one in action.—Philadelphia Press.

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This country can wait, and that indemnity, if necessary, while the longer the impossible terms of Colombia are maintained the greater will be the danger to her of internal convulsion and final dismemberment, though it will be our proper policy to keep our fingers out of that pie.

The one thing that we certainly cannot afford is to submit to being bounced by so inconsiderable a power as this South American republic.

There is yet another thing that we cannot afford to do, and that is to undertake the construction of a canal by the now scientifically discredited Nicaragua route. In the first place, we should have to deal diplomatically with two bantam republics instead of one, and our experience with them in the past showed the same exacting ideas as those that now confront us here down. But were terms agreed upon, our acquisition would still be a pig in a poke. We know more about Nicaragua than we did a quarter of a century ago, and some of that increased knowledge is to its advantage. The closer the investigation the larger do the engineering difficulties appear, and even were they all overcome and the waterway in operation, we should be likely to wake up any fine morning and learn that the earth had opened and "gulped" our canal down, as it did to the site of "famous Lisbon town." We certainly could not afford to risk Panamanian or Bogotanian in the wave of seismic active volcanoes.—Boston Transcript.

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It is unfortunate that in any way since the "grafters" who evidently emptied the Colombian senate have not been convinced of Secretary Hay's sincerity in the assertion that the treaty is to take or to leave in its integrity, and that any amendments of it will be equivalent to its rejection. It is impossible to believe that these shameless "boodlers," who want to collect $20,000,000 from the United States and $10,000,000 more from the Panama company for what is practically the same thing, can really think for a moment that there is the slightest chance of their being able to enforce their "hold-up." They must be aware, one would suppose, that the United States government clearly understands their game, and why under these circumstances they should persist along the line which they are pursuing is a mystery to which the key may be furnished after a while. It is not unbelievable that they are actually prepared to let the gathering $30,000,000 escape them, and the inquirer is not convinced that they have said their last word even yet.

In any case, the United States is going to build that canal over the best route available, which is by way of Panama, and if the road to that end is blocked it will become necessary to find another.—Philadelphia Inquirer.

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It is needless to discuss the other provisions of the new treaty which the Colombian congress wishes to negotiate—increased rental, extending "perpetuity" and the rest of it—since the acceptance of any such treaty by the United States is out of the question. The one vital fact is that the Hay-Herran convention, embodying the most extreme concessions that could be wrung from this country, has been rejected—is dead and buried.

The president should now drop the whole unsavory Panama business and direct Secretary Hay to resume negotiations with Nicaragua and Costa Rica for construction of the superior, unclaimed and American waterway through those republics.—New York Herald.

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This leads to a study of the possibilities with respect to the course of the inhabitants of the Panama province itself. It is understood that plans are already made and materiel for fighting gathered on the isthmus so as to make a revolt possible to do so, in order to deal directly with the United States. The inhabitants of the isthmus are practically unanimous in favor of the treaty and in favor of the construction of the canal through their country. The situation of the land is favorable to its defense and a new state is already blocked out to run some 400 miles along the coast and extend to both oceans. The proposed revolt is a popular one but under the leadership of foreigners in business in the country and not by natives, as it would in that part of the world.—Buffalo News.

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These queer chaps, the Spanish-American politicians at Bogota, have acted as badly as the most vivid imagination could expect. They have suppressed the dispatches of Secretary Hay to our minister, really an act of war; have denied that the French concession was extended by the act of their president, and have demanded by proposed amendments in our treaty a large additional sum from the United States, while recommending a heavy tax on the French company for the privilege of sel

ADAMS CAPTURED AFTER SIX YEARS

Philadelphian Wanted for Murder Arrested at Long Island City.

BRUTALLY PUT AUNT TO DEATH

After His Murder He Threw Police Off the Scent and Then Made Good His Escape After Robbing The Dead Woman.

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU, Press Building, PHILADELPHIA, PA., Sept. 11.

An arrest in Long Island City yesterday may solve the mystery of a murder in Philadelphia six years ago. The man in custody is believed to be Charles, alias Frank Adams, who has been wanted here since June 18, 1897, for the brutal murder of his aged aunt, Mrs. Mary Rodgers.

Mrs. Rodgers lived with her husband. On the night of June 9 she disappeared. Her nephew, who had been living at her house, had just been released from a four years' sentence in the Eastern penitentiary for stealing bicycles. He was considered a criminal of a distinctively degenerate type.

When the old woman was missing Adams volunteered the information that she had gone to visit relatives. The next day he disappeared, together with a watch and $75, the property of Mrs. Rodgers.

On June 18, when Mr. Rodgers found a pair of blood-stained spectacles which had been thrown into a corner, he instituted further search, and by the aid of the police discovered the partially decomposed body of Mrs. Rodgers under the cellar steps. Her skull had been crushed with a hammer. An alarm was sent out for the arrest of Adams, but the police were several times hot on his trail without succeeding in catching him.

CHESTER D. POTTER.

EFFORTS TO UNIONIZE ALL THAT HAVE TO WORK

First Steps Taken by Workingmen to Form a Large Organization.

The first step toward perfecting one great central organization of workingmen admitting into membership all unions and crafts in Western Pennsylvania and the dissolving of the present three central bodies, was taken last night at the meeting of the general committee of the Labor day celebration. The plan is for each of the present central bodies to appoint a committee, and the three committees will call a convention of the two delegates from each labor organization in Western Pennsylvania. As soon as the three committees are appointed they will arrange for the convention.

It is intended to form the central organization into several divisions. Each division will contain crafts that do work of a similar nature. All building trades will be in one division; the clerks, stenographers, telephone girls, bookkeepers and similar occupations in another; the iron and steel workers in a third, the miners in a fourth and miscellaneous trades in another.

The platform of the organization will be to settle all disputes by arbitration whenever possible. Each division will have autonomy so long as the organizations affiliated with it retains harmony with the employer. Wage scales will be agreed upon by the division executive officials, and if the organization precluding the scale objects to their ruling the central executive committee will take up the matter, and their decision will be final.

A permanent organization for conducting the Labor day demonstration will be formed. A committee was appointed to draw up by-laws governing the Labor day demonstration, consisting of Charles E. Winslow, carpenters, chairman; W. J. Burke, G. R. I.; E. P. Welsh, plumbers; W. J. Trichler, barbers; P. McClelland, Amalgamated association; William Finnegan, bridge workers; Uriah Bellingham, miners; Joseph Thompson, B. & M. L. U. and Frank E. Smith, painters. The committee is to complete its work and present the by-laws for approval by next Friday evening. The general committee decided to meet regularly every Friday evening.

FOUND STRANGE HOARD.

Arrest of Two Men Results in Discovery of a Curious Collection of Articles.

J. E. Logan of No. 124 Julius street, and W. Wallace Horn were arrested yesterday and locked up in the East End police station. Logan peddles peanuts and candy about the East End, and the police allege he has been accustomed for several years back to accept stolen goods, buying them at low rates and selling them. Horn, who has served terms recently in the workhouse, is charged with stealing mechanics' tools and disposing of them to Logan.

Logan's house was searched and over 100 articles of small value were found. These were 24 watches, 23 razors, 16 knives, 15 watch chains and old tools, coins and many other articles. Logan is about 65 years old and is well-known in the East End, having been connected with the Salvation Army of that section for several years.

Logan claims he secured the articles by bartering with people when he was going around selling his goods.

RAFFLED A BLACK BEAR.

One of the Many Features of Picnic of Castle Shannon Odd Fellows.

Castle Shannon lodge No. 912, I. O. O. F., held its annual harvest home picnic at Grove station, near Castle Shannon, yesterday afternoon and last night. About 500 Odd Fellows and their friends attended. There was a large program of sports and dancing. A feature was the humorous lecture by Peter Dorr, of the lodge, on "Why a Farmer Should Practice Physical Culture." The children held a goat race in the afternoon.

J. Backstoce, the oldest member in the lodge, who has been a member of it since it was instituted about 28 years ago, attended. He has not missed a picnic or outing of the lodge for the last twenty-five years. In the evening a raffle was held for a live black bear, which was captured by members of the Castle Shannon Hunting and Fishing club last November in the Adirondack mountains.

CAPITAL NEWS IN PARAGRAPHS.

Capt. Charles J. Barclay, commanding the Puget Sound navy yard, will become a rear admiral.

The comptroller of the currency issued a call for the condition of national banks at the close of business Wednesday, September 9.

Rear Admiral Casey, recently detached from command of the Pacific squadron, was retired on account of age after nearly 47 years' active service.

It is probable that Secretary Moody will decide in favor of a speed of 18 instead of 17 knots for the 13,500 ton battleships Minnesota and Idaho.

Orders granting three years of leave of absence to Commander Peary of the navy, beginning April 1 next, have been issued. He is now on duty at the bureau of yards and docks.

Capt. D. P. Lamberton, ordered to command the South Atlantic squadron, now stands at the head of the list of captains and will become a rear admiral on the retirement of Rear Admiral Kempff on October 11.

The interstate commission has assigned the case of William H. Hearst of New York against the anthracite coal carrying railroads, which was instituted last winter, for a further hearing in New York city on September 28.

BURGLAR ROUTED BY A BRAVE WOMAN

While alone in her home early yesterday morning Mrs. W. C. Byers of No. 105 Ninth avenue, McKeesport, routed a burglar and protected her home from invasion. Mrs. Byers was awakened about 4 o'clock by a noise at her bedroom window. She quietly arose, and after securing a revolver fired at a man she discovered prying open a window. The first shot crashed through the glass and the man started to run away. Mrs. Byers raised the window and fired two more shots at the fleeing man. After daylight there was no evidence about the place which would indicate that the man had been hit.

GREAT BRITAIN WON'T FIGHT ABOUT ISLANDS

Group Near Borneo of No Value But Need to Be Kept Clear of Pirates.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

NEWPORT, R. I., Sept. 11.—The British charge d'affaires, Mr. Raikes, when seen here today, expressed the opinion that the incident growing out of the seizure of the islands off the coast of British North Borneo, by the United States gunboat Quiros, was of minor importance, and one that would be amicably settled. He stated that he was not in a position to divulge the exact nature of the representations made to the Washington government, as the affair was a matter of state.

As he understood the question it concerned a couple of small islands off the coast of Borneo, which had been made a resort by pirates. For the protection of its commerce Great Britain had driven off these robbers of the sea and then professed the islands against their reoccupation by the outlaws. Mr. Raikes could not say that the islands were even inhabited and so far as he knew they were not likely to be a source of profit to anyone. Before Spain had relinquished control of her possessions in that quarter of the world to the United States that country had offered no objection to the occupation of these islands by Great Britain and the country had only done as she had to protect her commerce.

The charge suggested that perhaps the United States had decided to police these islands herself, and that perhaps this country could do it as well as his own.

GOULDS NOT WORRIED.

Litigation at Baltimore Will Not Long Delay Wabash's Dash to Seaboard.

NEW YORK, Sept. 11.—(Special.)—The temporary check in the Gould plans to extend the Western Maryland Railroad to tidewater, caused by an injunction secured in Baltimore by the Laurer & Harper Company, is apparently not worrying either George Gould or President Ramsey of the Wabash. There is an abiding belief in the minds of the Gould representatives that the litigation will terminate satisfactorily.

One feature in the Wabash extension from Pittsburgh to Baltimore is the 60 mile link between Cumberland, Md., and Cherry Run, W. Va. The survey for this section of road has just been completed. It follows the Potomac river, which it crosses nine times; it crosses the Chesapeake & Ohio canal seven times, and the Baltimore & Ohio tracks three times. There are five tunnels, the longest being 4,500 feet. The maximum grade of the 60 miles of track will be one per cent., with a maximum curvature of six degrees. The estimated cost per mile is about $80,000. This extension will unite the West Virginia Central with the Western Maryland, and, according to President Ramsey, it will be completed by the first of next August.

FRANK A. PARKER.

BUSINESS FIRMS CHARTERED.

Numerous Western Pennsylvania Concerns Incorporated Yesterday.

The following Western Pennsylvania institutions were incorporated yesterday at Harrisburg:

The Horse Show Supply Company, incorporated, Delaney, Cambria county, capital $10,000; the Saltsburg Flint Bottle Company, Saltsburg, Indiana county, capital $30,000; South Sharon Mercantile Company, South Sharon, capital $10,000; the Monarch Mining and Construction Company, Brownsville, capital $25,000; the Stan Sheppler Company, Vandergrift, capital $75,000; Orient Supply Company, Uniontown, capital $15,000; Lutman & Shaffer Company, Pittsburgh, capital $10,000; the Briggs Publishing Company, Pittsburgh, capital $10,000; the Standard Contracting Company, Pittsburgh, capital $5,000; the Corry City Electric Light Company, Corry, capital $21,000; the Mercantile Trust Company, Greensburg, capital $200,000; the Highland Trust Company, Pittsburgh, capital $10,000.

HOSTETTER'S CELEBRATED STOMACH BITTERS

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Be sure to try it.

WANTS BIG DAMAGES.

Government Presents a Heavy Claim Against Michigan Town for Loss of Barracks.

SAULT STE MARIE, MICH., Sept. 11.—The first step towards the beginning of a suit by the United States government against the city of Sault Ste Marie, Mich., to recover damages for the loss of the barracks at Fort Brady, by fire is the presentation of a claim for $68,703.21. The government had a contract with the city for the malfeasance of a supply of water in the fort at a pressure of 85 to 90 pounds, and it is asserted that on the night of the fire practically no water was obtainable, otherwise the barracks would not have been destroyed. The council will disallow the claim and the government will sue.

PRINCE OF WALES WILL CROSS THE ATLANTIC SOON

LONDON, Sept. 11.—(Special.)—It is stated authoritatively at the Plymouth navy yard that the morning after the home fleet has completed its cruise, which begins on October 18, the squadron, commanded by Admiral H. K. Wilson, will cross the North Atlantic as an escort. The name of the person to be escorted is not given officially, but it is undoubtedly the prince of Wales.

DIED.

BOYD—On Wednesday, September 9, 1903, at 8:35 p. m., MARY MARTHA BEADON, wife of the late Captain James Boyd.

Funeral services at her late residence, No. 51 Library place, Allegheny, on Saturday at 10 o'clock.

Interment private, later.

BRIMMER—On Friday, September 11, 1903, at 8 p. m., WILLIAM BRIMMER, in his 66th year.

Funeral from late residence, Burgettstown, Pa., on Monday, the 14th, at 11 a. m.

DICKSON—On Friday, September 11, 1903, CHARLES LOOMIS, infant son of Robert F. and Jennie Loomis Dickson.

Funeral services at family residence, No. 2136 Braddock avenue, Swissvale, this afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend. (Interment private.

GRUNDEL—On Thursday, September 10, 1903, at 3:30 p. m., DOROTHEA, relict of Henry Grundel, aged 81 years, six months.

Funeral from the residence of her son-in-law, Jacob Ross, No. 141 Fifteenth street, South Side, on Sunday, September 13, at 2 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectively invited to attend.

(Baltimore papers please copy.)

JEFFERY—On Wednesday, September 9, 1903, at 5:15 a. m., at Marion Wayne county, N. Y., SARAH J. JEFFERY, widow of Thomas F. Jeffery, formerly of Allegheny city.

Funeral services at the chapel of H. Samson, No. 433 Sixth avenue, Pittsburgh, on Saturday morning, September 12, at 8:45 o'clock. Interment at Sharon Church, Pa.

LYON—On Friday evening, September 11, 1903, FLORENCE, F. (nee Florence Foote), of West Newton, Pa., wife of William Reynolds Lyons, M. D., of Glenfield, Pa., and their daughter, CATHERINE.

Funeral services will be held at their late residence Sunday evening, September 13, 1903, at 8 o'clock. Interment at West Newton, Pa., Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

MELWEE—On Friday morning, September 11, 1903, CHARLES C., infant son of Cornelius and Katherine Murray McElwee, aged 2 months and 23 days.

Funeral from the parents' residence, 29 Shingiss street, on Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

SHERIFF—On Thursday, September 10, at 4 a. m., at Cadiz Ohio, WILLIAM V. SHERIFF, general secretary of the East Liberty branch of the Young Men's Christian association of Pittsburgh, in the 42d year of his age.

Funeral services at Cadiz on Saturday afternoon, after arrival of train leaving Union station at 9 a. m., city time.

SHOUSE—On Thursday evening, September 10, 1903, at 7:45 o'clock, REBECCA EDIS, relict of Capt. John Shouse, in her 83d year.

Funeral services at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Rev. W. R. Cowl, No. 205 California avenue, Avalon, Friday evening at 8 o'clock. Interment at Steubenville, O., this morning on arrival of Cleveland & Pittsburgh train.

(Steubenville (O.) papers please copy.)

SMITH—On Friday, September 11, 1903, at 11 o'clock a. m., JOHN S. SMITH, aged 64 years.

Funeral services at his late residence in Scott township, near Mt. Lebanon, Allegheny county, Pa., Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Carriages will meet street cars opposite Mt. Lebanon school house at 1 o'clock.

TAYLOR—On Friday, September 11, 1903, at 5 a. m., at her residence, Nimick terrace, Brighton, MISS ELLEN TAYLOR, second daughter of the late James and Sarah Taylor, of Freeport, Pa.

Funeral services at her late residence, Nimick terrace, on Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Interment private in Homewood cemetery.

WALKER—On Thursday, September 10, 1903, at 3:30 a. m., MARGARET, daughter of John and the late Julia Walker, aged 24 years.

Funeral from the residence of her sister, Mrs. John McGrane, No. 362 Bouquet street, Oakland, Saturday morning at 8:30 o'clock. Services at St. Agnes' church at 9 a. m. Friends of the family are respectively invited to attend.

WOODWARD—On Friday morning, September 11, 1903, at 7:45 a. m., at her residence, Fifth and Aiken avenues, ANNA MARGARET, wife of Marcus A. Woodward, in her 57th year.

Funeral services at the Calvary Episcopal church, Station street and Penn avenue, on Sunday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. Interment private.

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PENFIELD PLANTS IN GOOD SHAPE

The First National Bank of This City Holds Some of His Paper.

THE CREDITORS MAY REALIZE

Committee Has Been Appointed to Assist Receivers in Making Concerns Go. The Promoter Remains Hidden for the Time Being.

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU,
Herald Building, Herald Square,
NEW YORK, Sept. 11.

Investigation into the affairs of the nine allied concerns promoted by the enthusiastic young Chicagoan, Raymond C. Penfield, whose whereabouts is a mystery, revealed the fact today that he succeeded in floating $1,500,000 of commercial paper in some of the best banks of the east and west. Whether the banks will sustain a loss to this amount depends entirely upon their success in working out the propositions which he began.

A committee of bankers has been appointed to assist the receivers in managing the affairs of the nine Penfield concerns. The names of the members of the committee are suggestive of the source of the credit of the young promoter. The committee comprises the following, all of whom are bankers: D. R. Forgan, First National Bank of Chicago; F. H. Richard, assistant cashier of First National Bank of Pittsburgh; F. B. Schenck, Mercantile National Bank of New York; J. F. Harper, president of the Colonial National Bank, Cleveland, and A. S. Apgar, Merchants Exchange National Bank of New York.

President Ballard of the Continental Trust Company, which the court appointed as the receiver of six eastern companies, said tonight that the investigation already made led him to believe that the total liabilities would amount to $2,500,000. Of this amount, it was learned in other quarters, $800,000 was issued in the shape of bonds. Paper was also issued to the extent of $200,000 for merchandise, while the balance, $1,500,000, was in the shape of accommodation paper usually known as commercial paper.

The story of Penfield's financial collapse begins on Tuesday, September 2, when bills amounting to $50,000 fell due. That night he left his office and told friends he was going to Cleveland. Since that time he has not been seen.

One of the investigating committee stated today that so far his accounts do not show any illegal diversion or appropriation of funds.

"Penfield may have gone away with the company's money," said one of the principal creditors today; "but there has been nothing found in the books which showed that he had misappropriated.

"The facts are that the books are rather confusing on account of his system of using the credit of one company to bolster the finances of the other."

FRANK A. PARKER.

CLEVELAND, Sept. 11.—The assignment of the Bank of Willoughby, the only financial institution in the neighboring Lake county village, probably completes the havoc wrought by the embarrassment of Richard Penfield's enterprises. Penfield formerly lived in Willoughby. His father, J. W. Penfield, was the richest man in the town. The bank made an assignment because it held some of Penfield's paper as collateral. Its liabilities are $200,000, and its assets a quarter of a million. Penfield today made a personal assignment and also assigned the property owned by Penfield & Sons. Depositors in the bank asked to have S. H. Smart, the president and cashier, declared a bankrupt. Smart says the bank will pay dollar for dollar.

Mr. Richard said last night that the statement above is correct. The liability of the First National Bank of Pittsburgh is less than $6,000. On that account he does not expect to serve on the committee, as it is hardly worth the time insomuch as all will be well managed anyway.

"The Penfield concerns are really in good shape, so far as the investment of its money goes," he said. "It was only Penfield's disappearance that made it anything unusual. The plants are well built and the output in demand, so that there is no reason to doubt that all will be straightened out in good shape."

CAST IRON PIPE COMPANY DENIES M'NEAL'S CHARGES

TRENTON, N. J., Sept. 11.—The United States Cast Iron Pipe Company today filed its answer in the suit instituted some time ago by Andrew H. McNeal of Burlington, N. J., for the appointment of a receiver. McNeal charges among other things that the company is operated at a loss. The answer is a complete denial of every charge. It is stated that the company is prosperous, its net earnings for the last fiscal year being $1,222,-000.

LECTURER KEPT TALKING UNTIL HE WAS ARRESTED

John F. Taylor of No. 1010 Locust street attracted a large crowd at South Thirteenth and Carson streets last night by lecturing on economic subjects. Special Officer P. T. Tracy ordered him to desist, as the street was blocked. Taylor refused and talked back, so he was arrested. The crowd followed to the station house and it was only with threats of arrest that it was cleared.

WOMEN OF M'KEESPORT DEFEAT TELEPHONE MEN

Women of Shaw avenue, McKeesport, prevented telephone linemen from placing poles in the street yesterday. As fast as a hole was dug a woman occupied it, being encouraged by the cheers of an enthusiastic crowd. The linemen finally gave up the hopeless struggle. The street committee will meet today and endeavor to adjust the difficulty.

PUT PRICE ON TREASON, BUT DIDN'T GET MONEY

BERLIN, Sept. 11.—The insurgent who was recently arrested at Metz with six privates for selling two bombs with a newly patented fuse attached to a French agent has confessed that he was to receive $80 for his treasonable conduct. He was arrested before the money was paid.

SIX-LEGGED BULL WAS AT THE UNION STATION

A bull with six legs was the attraction of a crowd a part of last evening at the Union station. The animal was under the care of the Adams Express Company, and was on the way to Cleveland. The bull is brown, resembling an Alderney breed. It is regularly formed, with the exception of a growth which protrudes from the upper part of the neck. From this hangs two legs, perfect in formation, but about one-third the length of the regular limbs, one of which hangs down on either side of the bull's neck. The growth appears not to bother the animal.

CARNIVAL QUEEN CROWNED BEFORE BIG CROWD

The crowning of Miss Winifred O'Donnell as queen of the Oakland board of trade's carnival, was held last night under favorable circumstances and was witnessed by a large crowd. Assistant City Solicitor L. S. Levin made an appropriate coronation speech, which was immediately followed by a short reception held in the tent of the Streets of India show. Miss O'Donnell was greeted with many cheers and much handshaking wherever she went. She is employed in Solomon's store in Smithfield street and a large part of the crowd present were guests of Mr. Solomon.

John Dimling, the well known caterer, celebrated his 51st birthday yesterday by distributing several thousand tickets to the carnival. Mr. Dimling is a member of the Oakland board of trade and is chairman of the carnival committee. The carnival will close tonight, when the drawings for the valuable articles and many other special attractions will serve to draw a large crowd.

PIG IRON PRODUCERS BALK AT LOWER PRICES

Will Blow Out if There Is No Improvement and Await a Turn.

(By Private Wire to The Gazette.)

NEW YORK, Sept. 11.—Rogers, Brown & Co. report that an increasing number of blast furnacemen are refusing to follow further the downward course of prices. They will work out present contracts, which in some cases will require three months to fill; then will blow out if there is no improvement. There are two things which these makers are unwilling to do—to pile pig iron at present cost of production and to sell at a loss. While there is no attempt at concert of action in this policy, and can be none, a considerable number of furnaces are committed to it, and force of circumstances will compel others.

The volume of new orders is by no means small. There is some diminution of melt noted among the foundries, but in the main consumption is running heavy, as is evidenced by the fact that the big current output (1,616,643 tons in August) and 32,000 tons pig iron imported in that month was all consumed except about 38,000 tons added to furnace stocks.

The continued heavy importations cause wonder in the trade. About 200,000 tons of all kinds of iron, steel, scrap, etc., came in in August, a small increase over July. Pig iron, however, dropped from 42,000 to 32,000 tons. There can be but one possible explanation, namely, that there are delayed shipments on contracts placed months ago except in one or two specialties, like ferro-manganese and low phosphorous pig, certain and heavy loss would result from any purchase of foreign iron at present prices. Ordinary iron is worth more in England or Germany today than it is at Alabama furnaces, and there is the freight and a $4 duty to scale.

FRANK A. PARKER.

CAR OF POWDER EXPLODED.

Collided With a Train and Killed Two and Seriously Hurt Two Others.

ELDORADO, KAN., Sept. 11.—A carload of powder left on a 'Frisco siding near Beaumont, by a freight crew which did not want to handle it while switching, got beyond control and ran several miles on a branch line toward Winfield, colliding with a train which had left that station shortly before and exploded, killing Milton Pennefock, fireman, and J. N. Holt, and injuring two others.

In addition the explosion tore up several rods of track and dismantled a locomotive. The shock of the explosion shook the ground for miles around. People in Eldorado ran from their houses fearing an earthquake. Other towns in the vicinity also were shaken.

SCHOOLS AS CLUB HOUSES.

New York City Will Throw Them Open Every Night to the Young People.

NEW YORK, Sept. 11.—(Special.)—Beginning next week 19 public schools in New York will be open in the evenings as "recreation centers." The buildings will, to all practical purposes, be club houses for the use of boys and girls, and will form a delightful adjunct to the daily routine of study.

In each school provision has been made for systematic training in athletics and gymnasium work, which is expected to appeal to boys. For the girls and the less strenuous among the boys there are to be grounds in which provisions are made for the playing of instructive games.

BOY DIED OF BROKEN HEART OVER DEATH OF HIS MOTHER

WILKESBARRE, PA., Sept. 11.—(Special.)—Broken-hearted by the death of his mother and father, little Gleumore Williams of Larksville, near here, died today, saying with his last breath, "Now I shall see my mother." The father died a couple of years ago and the mother a few months ago. Since then the little fellow has been slowly pining away with no interest in life. His death did not result from disease, and friends say his heart was broken.

Notice the next 10 healthy men you meet. They take Ayer's Pills. J. C. Ayer Co., Lowell, Mass.

EARNINGS SHOW A FAIR INCREASE

President Hearne Gives Out Annual Report of Colorado Fuel & Iron Company.

LOSS IN IRON DEPARTMENT

Balance Shows $586,112, Representing Accrued and Undivided Profits at Close of the Current Business Year. Auditor's Report Also Issued.

(By Associated Press to The Gazette.)

DENVER, Sept. 11.—The annual report of the Colorado Fuel and Iron Company for the year ended June 30 last was given out today by President F. J. Hearne. The net earnings from operating departments carried to the credit of income account were $1,000,962, an increase of $344,921, and of the iron department a decrease of $58,174.

The total net earnings from all sources amounted to $2,067,342, which provided for all fixed charges, sinking funds, preferred stock dividends paid February 20, 1903, etc., leaving a balance of $205,611, which was carried to the credit of profit and loss. The balance to the credit of profit and loss account is $586,112, representing accrued and undivided profits at the close of the current business year.

After mentioning the additions made to the plant during the year the outgoing president, J. A. Keller, says:

"The same difficulties were encountered in operating the Minnequa plant this year as last, and all of the costs were largely increased by reason of the additional expense caused by operating the steel works while so much construction was going on.

"The auditor's report shows that during the year $5,000,000 of new 5 per cent 10-year gold debenture bonds were issued and the amount outstanding at the end of the year was $14,068,000.

INCREASE IN PRICES BENEFIT THE MINERS

WILKESBARRE, PA., Sept. 11.—(Special.)—Commissioner Neal has notified the mine workers that they will receive an increase of five per cent per ton on the advance in the price of coal for September. It has been advanced at tidewater to an average price of $4.75 a ton. The price will probably be maintained until the January schedule goes into effect.

LOCAL FIRM WILL BUILD A CANADIAN COKE PLANT

Contracts for 400 Ovens in British Columbia Awarded to Pittsburghers.

Contracts for the construction of coke ovens in British Columbia at a cost of about $500,000 have just been awarded to Elliott & Baton, civil and mining engineers of this city. George S. Baton of that firm has just returned from Blairmore, Alberta, Canada, with orders to start the work at once. The plant is to be built for the International Coal & Coke Company of Grand Forks, B. C. It will have about 400 beehive coke ovens and will be but the first of several plants which the company contemplates building on the property.

Mr. Baton made an inspection of the property of the company, which is located on the Crow's Nest branch of the Canadian Pacific railroad. The coal is reported to be a good coking variety. There are nine workable veins on the property, one of them being 18 feet thick and two over 12 feet thick. The coal pitches at about 40 degrees and all the seams will be worked from one drift opening. The plans contemplate tunneling from one vein to the others. The plant will be modern in all respects. Electricity will be used for power wherever possible. Work has already been started on the mine openings.

The contract coming to a Pittsburgh firm means that a large order for coke over and above will be let from here to British Columbia. It is said that the freight rates for the long shipment amount to twice as much as the value of the brick at Pittsburgh.

DETECTED BY PRICED TAG.

Officers Saw It and Arrested Two Women on a Charge of Shoplifting.

A price tag caused the arrest yesterday afternoon of Mrs. Martha Stanley, aged 28, of Detroit, but who has been living at No. 200 Anderson street for several weeks, and Mamie Eberley, of No. 105 Fredonia street, Allegheny. Detectives saw the women coming out of a downtown department store and were attracted by a price tag which protruded from the waist line of one of the women's skirts. They were taken back into the store, where it was found they were wearing two skirts each, the top ones of which, it is asserted, were stolen.

In the rooms of the women a sealskin sacque with other valuable articles of dress were found. Mrs. Stanley is the mother of a bright baby of four months. Several hours after she was arrested permission was granted her to have the child taken to the station house and placed in charge of the matron.

Mamie Eberley is said to have come to Pittsburgh from Columbus, which she claims as her home.

MILLER'S SOAP PROVED THE BEST

This is the sign that shows the store,
That sells the soap you're hunting for,
It knocks the spots and eats the grease
Makes washing light and clothes like fleece;
Because it's "Made with Naptha."

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All grocers have Miller's Soap.

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Lancaster, Pa

VICTIM PURSUED AROUND WORLD

Overtaken by Mafia in New York, Vengeance Is Swift and Terrible.

WAS RESIGNED TO HIS FATE

Knew the Implacable Hate of His Fellow Countrymen—Had Been Instrumental in Having One of Them Sent to Prison for Life.

(By Private Wire to The Gazette.)

NEW YORK, Sept. 11.—Another mafia murder mystery now confronts the New York police. Two shots, fired in rapid succession shortly before 1 o'clock this afternoon, alarmed the tenants of No. 2100 Second avenue, all of whom are Italians. Rushing to the hallway of the ground floor, they found Atanalo de Marino, 49 years old, said to have been at one time a policeman assigned to the Italian quarter on the lower east side. He was lying on his back, dead, close to the foot of the hall stairs. There was a bullet wound in his head and another in his right lung.

A crowd of excited Italians swarmed about the body and around the entrance of the tenement house, but when the police arrived they refused to talk to them. Tony Mancini and Serafino Biloth of No. 2100 Second avenue, the owner of the tenement and keeper of a saloon at that address, were arrested as witnesses.

The detectives found that two men were seen leaving the hall by an Italian, who recognized one of them as having arrived in this country about nine months ago. He is said to be a prominent leader of the mafia of Sicily.

De Marino is said to have been on the death list of the mafia for some time. A year ago, in Italy, he arrested a member of the society, who was sent to prison for life. Three times within a month after this he was attacked and narrowly escaped death. He was warned to leave Italy by his friends, and with his old mother came to this country, going first to Philadelphia, in order to cover his trail if possible. He stayed in Philadelphia but a few weeks, when he came to New York and settled in the Italian quarter. Here agents of the society who had been sent from Italy discovered him and he was followed day and night. He moved all around the quarter and finally went to Harlem, where he occupied several flats before moving to the one in One-hundred and Thirteenth street.

He told the neighbors only a few days ago that he was practically resigned to his fate, as he knew the vengeance of the society would fall upon him swiftly.

CUTTING THE RATE.

Independent Operators Reduce Price of Anthracite Twenty-Five Cents Per Ton.

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 11.—(Special.)—Independent anthracite coal operators have broken prices below those fixed by the railroad coal companies and the local retailers are privately soliciting business at 25 cents a ton under the ruling prices. The significance of these facts is that the supply of anthracite coal now exceeds the demand.

Although not demoralized the anthracite coal trade has reached a condition where every order can be promptly filled. Under those conditions the independent operators, in their desire to market their full product and to keep their mines working, are accepting cut prices for coal.

DYSPEPSIA

"Having taken your wonderful "Cascarets" for three months and being entirely cured of stomach catarrh and dyspepsia, I am pleased to say that due to "Cascarets" for their wonderful curative action. I have taken numerous other so-called remedies, but without any benefit, and I am glad to say that now, in a day time all the others I have taken would fill a year."

Fredrick Hoffman, 196 Mercer St., Jersey City, N. J.

Best for The Bowels
Cascarets
CANDY CATHARTIC
THEY WORK WHILE YOU SLEEP

Pleasant. Palatable. Potent. Taste Good. Do Good. Never Sicken, Weaken or Gripe. 10c. 25c. 50c. Never sold in bulk. The genuine tablet stamped C C C. Guaranteed to cure or your money back.

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ANNUAL SALE, TEN MILLION BOXES

DETECTIVES GUARD THE PRISONER

Two Officers Will Watch Over Mrs. Stanley Until Her Trial.

Mrs. Martha Stanley, who was arrested yesterday afternoon on a charge of shoplifting, was committed to the county jail this morning by Magistrate Succop. Two detectives will guard her until her trial.

"It takes a long time to bring excellence to maturity."
—Publius Syrus

It has taken at least three generations in the case of

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but to-day its excellence has reached its full maturity. In beauty of design, in perfection of workmanship, in purity of material, it is unsurpassed. The trade-mark guarantees all these qualities in every piece of Gorham silver.

All responsible jewelers keep it

THIS SYNDICATE WILL LOSE ABOUT 50 PER CENT

Underwriters of United States Realty & Construction Co. Must Pocket a Loss.

(By Private Wire to The Gazette.)

NEW YORK, Sept. 11.—The underwriting syndicate which furnished $11,000,000 cash to finance the United States Realty and Construction Company was dissolved today, although the time set for the dissolution was November 1. Members were notified that upon surrender of certificates to the Central Realty Bond and Trust Company they would receive the stock and cash to which they are entitled.

The syndicate is regarded in Wall street as one of the most unsuccessful ever launched. Those who took part in it are expected to take losses of about 50 per cent. The stock held by the syndicate managers, Hallgarten & Co. and Harris, Gates & Co., will be returned tomorrow. Persons having early knowledge of this fact sold the preferred at the opening today. From 39 yesterday it sold to 35¼.

The syndicate was formed last fall. Several large life insurance companies and local trust companies took large blocks of the underwriting. The individual members were James Stillman, Charles M. Schwab, Harry B. Hollins, Albert Plaut, R. E. Dowling, H. Morgenthau and Hugh J. Grant. On the basis of today's market value of the realty securities, they would lose about $4,000 each.

The capital of the United States Realty Company is $20,000,000 common and 12?,-000,000 preferred stock. It was formed in August of last year and took over the George A. Fuller properties and those of the New York Realty Corporation, also, the real estate interests of the Central Realty Bond and Trust Company.

FRANK A. PARKER.

Juror Indicted for Perjury.

CYNTHIANA, KY., Sept. 11.—The grand jury this morning returned an indictment against Juror J. A. Spring for alleged false swearing in connection with the Jett-White case.

Did You Get One?

See Home Trust Company's ad. in next Sunday's Gazette.

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By ELLEN THORNEYCROFT FOWLER

Author of "Concerning Isabel Carnaby," "The Farringdons," etc.

THE brilliant success of "Concerning Isabel Carnaby" should be repeated in this novel by an author whose works have met with deserved popularity. It is the story of the excessively ambitious man whose most cherished aims are frustrated through retributive justice. It is full of interest and attractive characterization and is developed with natural force in a world of its own.

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"Miss Sholl has handled her subject with admirable sureness of touch, with dignity and proper restraint. Her lovers are beings of flesh and blood, not puppets; she faces the problem fully, fearlessly; honors the compelling strength of the story, its exceptional merit as the product of an American pen."—New York Mail and Express.

THE SILVER POPPY

By ARTHUR STRINGER

"The 'Silver Poppy' bears the greatest eminence of the modern psychological novel and proclaims its author a master of insight and poetic expression."—The New York American.

THE CAREER TRIUMPHANT

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Joint author of "Eastover Courthouse" and "The Redfields Succession."

A charming novel of the social life of the present day Virginia, reproducing the assured grace of culture and ease that comes of well-defined social limits.

Each, 12mo. Cloth. $1.50.

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The Maids of Paradise

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Paradise is an idyllic French village, and its maids live in the stirring days of the Franco-Prussian war. Fighting appears in many pages but the romance is a happy one, and its dominant note is love.

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Illustrated by
A. Castaigne.

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FRANKLIN SQUARE, NEW YORK

Childrens Day Saturday

HORNE-STEWART Co

DRY GOODS Saturday 12 September 1903

Here's a store within a store selling the kind of clothing none but the best tailors known how to make and only charging what they have to.

Fall Clothing for Men

Work here for men that has been waiting a long time for somebody to do.

Sack Suits. Cheviots, worsteds and cassimeres, blues, blacks and fancy mixtures, new weaves and patterns. Regulars, stouts and longs. Price range, 12.50, 13.50, 15.00 up to 35.00

Topcoats. Tans, browns, blacks, fancy stripes and mixtures, home and foreign weaves, topnotch tailoring and best of silk and Italian linings. Price range 10.00 to 35.00

Raincoats. Probably no single store in Pennsylvania sells more raincoats. Wonder why. Better investigate. Now ones in all the new materials, shapes, lengths, shades and patterns. Price range, 10.00, 15.00, 18.00 up to 35.00

Morning, Evening and Dinner Suits
Correct in cut and material—good tailors seldom do as well for twice the money ..... 30.00 to 50.00

Young Men and Big Boys

Natty but not noisy—the best efforts yet for young men who care how to dress.

Suits. Many patterns to choose from, catchy colorings, jaunty cuts, peg or straight trousers. Sizes 32 to 36 waist measure, ages 15 to 20. Price range, 8.50, 10.00, 12.50 up to 25.00

Topcoats and Raincoats. Young mens and big boys topcoats and raincoats, in tans, blacks, oxfords and mixtures. Sizes 32 to 36, ages 15 to 20. Price range, 13.50, 15.00 and 20.00

Fall Clothing for Boys

Childrens Day Saturday and the new fall things for boys evidence that the girls are not to have it all their own way.

Boys Suits. Boys' Russian and Sailor Blouse Suits, 2½ to 12 years, new fall shades. 3.50, 4.00, 4.50 up to 12.50. Special values at 4.00 and 5.00

Boys Suits. Boys' Norfolk Suits, straight or knickerbocker trousers, blacks, blues and cassimeres, sizes 3 to 16 years. Price range, 3.50 to 15.00

Boys Suits. Boys' Two and Three-Piece Suits, single and double breast, ages 7 to 16 years, solid colors and fancy patterns, popular fall weaves. 5.00, 6.00, 6.50 up to 10.00

Ask to see our Reinforced Suit for school wear. Some stores charge 7.50 for suits not near so well made or good fitting. Our Special Price 5.00

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CLOSING PLANTS CAUSED DECREASE

Steel Business Shown by Corporation Books to Be Generally Good.

RAILROAD WORK GOING ON

Some Falling Off in Demand for Light Products, but in Structural Materials the Demand Continues Firm—Sales of Wire Exceed Last Year.

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU,
Herald Building, Herald Square.
NEW YORK, Sept. 11.

Officials of the Steel Corporation say that while the net earnings for the third quarter, ending September 30, and the unfilled orders on the books will both show a decrease compared with the third quarter of 1902, the general situation remains good. A great percentage of the decrease in net receipts, which for the quarter is estimated at nearly $2,000,000, is directly traceable to the closing of many of the plants—some for repairs and a few for lack of orders.

The decrease in unfilled orders on the books for the three months period is expected to aggregate not less than 200,000 tons. It is due chiefly to the postponement of improvement and extension plans by several of the important railroads, which is being felt in the steel rail orders for 1904 delivery, notably, and to some extent in bridge work and repairs.

On January 1, 1903, the unfilled orders were 5,347,258 tons, compared with 4,197,749 tons January 1, 1902.

July 1 last the unfilled orders amounted to 4,686,578 tons, compared with 4,741,993 tons on July 1, 1902.

By October 1 the unfilled orders are expected to aggregate not less than 4,300,000 tons, unless meantime there should be an unexpected cancellation of orders booked.

The presidents of subsidiary companies report a falling off in demand for light products, but business in steel rails, plates and structural material continues firm, notwithstanding the prolongation of building strikes in Manhattan and elsewhere. This would indicate that while the railroads may be curtailing new extensions, they are still carrying forward the construction of new and replacement of old bridges.

Officials of the American Steel and Wire Company report business as good as last year, with the total sales for the nine months larger than for the same period in 1902.

The greatest falling off in net earnings of the corporation is said to come from the closing for the first time in two years of many of the departments of the Carnegie company. A member of the board of directors of the United States Steel Corporation says:

"There will be no official statement of the orders on the books of the corporation until the regular meeting of the board of directors in October. I can state, however, that there has been no decided falling off in orders since the last quarterly statement." FRANK A. PARKER.

CHARGES ARE DENIED.

United States Cast Iron Pipe & Foundry Co. Resists Application for Receiver.

TRENTON, N. J., Sept. 11.—(Special.)—Answer was filed today in the court of chancery by the United States Cast Iron Pipe and Foundry Company to a suit instituted several weeks ago by Andrew H. McNeal charging the company with extravagance and mismanagement, that operation of the plants was costing an excessive amount and that several subsidiary plants were being operated at a loss, and that their value had been practically destroyed by reckless operation. He further charged that George B. Hayes, president of the company, with manipulating the concern's business for the purpose of exploiting the stock in Wall street and that the company was on the verge of bankruptcy.

The answer of the company sets forth that not only has the concern not been operated at a loss, but that a large surplus had been earned. All other allegations are denied. For the year ending May 31, 1900, its net earnings were $940,078, for 1902, they were $711,181 and for 1903 they amounted to $1,228,724.

IMPALED ON A SHAFT.

Runaway Horse Collides With Car and Passenger Is Badly Injured.

NEW YORK, Sept. 11.—(Special.)—A revolting accident occurred today at 149th street and Manhattan avenue, when by a runaway horse. The passenger was impaled by the shaft of a wagon drawn by a runaway horse. The pasenger was Harry Meyers, 10 years old. As the car swung around the curve, the shaft of the wagon struck the rear platform a quartering blow. One shaft ran between the grip handle and the car and pierced Meyers' side to a depth of about five inches, snapped off and the horse continued up Manhattan avenue. The run dropped to the platform, but his weight failed to draw out the shaft. Meyers was taken to the hospital. There the surgeons with the proper instruments took the wood out. It was said that Meyers might recover, although the shock had been severe.

WHITNEY GIVES BUFFALO HERD TO NEW YORK ZOO SOCIETY

NEW YORK, Sept. 11.—(Special.)—William C. Whitney has presented to the Zoological society his entire herd of buffalo now on October mountain, near Lenox, Mass., and 10 elk. The herd of buffalo containg 17 head. These, with the buffalo already in the park, two of which were perviously presented by Mr. Whitney, will bring the Zoological park herd up to 25 animals, which was the limit fixed by the society three years ago for an ideal herd.

THE GREAT STORY STARTS TOMORROW

First Installment of James Howard Bridge's Sensational History of the Carnegie Steel Company.

WILL APPEAR EXCLUSIVELY IN THE SUNDAY GAZETTE

The startling revelations contained in James Howard Bridge's "History of the Carnegie Steel Company," although only hinted at in the reviews of the book that have been published, have created a sensation in all parts of the English-speaking world. Great disappointment was expressed over the fact that but a few copies of the book had been issued, and those for private circulation only.

Interest in Mr. Bridge's disclosures is doubly keen in Pittsburgh, the home of the Carnegie Steel Company. It is peculiarly fitting, therefore, that the Pittsburgh Gazette should be the one paper in the United States to succeed in securing the rights for newspaper publication of this intensely interesting narrative.

The first installment of the "History of the Carnegie Steel Company" will appear tomorrow in The Sunday Gazette, and it will be continued every Sunday thereafter until completed.

As the story is of great permanent historical value, many people will doubtless wish to preserve it as it appears from week to week. For their convenience it will be printed in The Gazette in tabloid form and on one side only of each page.

Orders for The Gazette should be sent in at once, as the demand already is enormous.

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Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher.
The Kind You Have Always Bought.

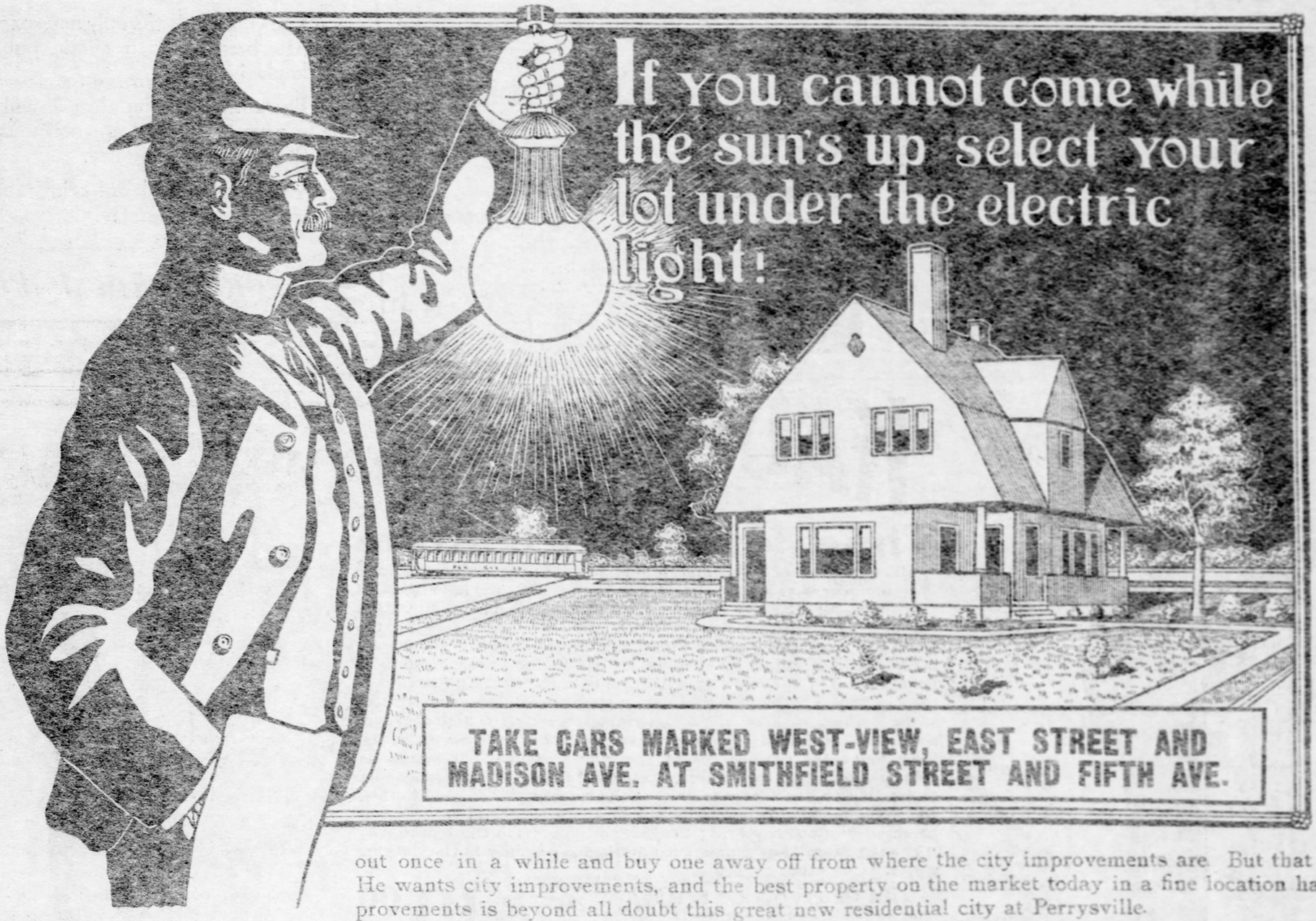
GREAT LOT SALE AT KEATING WEST-VIEW NO. 2 OPENED THIS MORNING!

Don't wait till you finish reading! Catch your car while armies of investors are moving in swarms. If you live too far away or cannot leave your work or business during the day, come tonight. See the grand network of street and traction improvements under the electric lights.

The big arc lamps are going up as fast as first-class electricians and wire-stringers can get them in position. We are preparing to turn darkness into light. We will have this accomplished so that you can read your newspaper on the property as easily as you can see to pick your lot.

Last night's crushing crowds going out to look the proposition over demonstrated what a marvelous triumph will result. Investors who got in too late on the first plan are losing no opportunity to make up for their mistake by getting in early on the second plan.

The $9,700 advance-profit which changed hands in a single day at last sale in form of bonuses offered by late arrivals has taught shrewd investors the lesson that it doesn't pay to put off going after a good thing. But the most remarkable feature connected with the sale of Plan No. 1 was not so much the quick turns that were made as the disposition to build homes, which was revealed with surprising force immediately after the last of the 762 lots had been disposed of. Building operations started with a boom that caused no end of excitement and interest. Purchasers in less than seven weeks moved into houses which had been started and completed in this almost incredibly short time.


If you cannot come while the sun's up select your lot under the electric light!
TAKE CARS MARKED WEST-VIEW, EAST STREET AND MADISON AVE. AT SMITHFIELD STREET AND FIFTH AVE.

People have never moved so fast to live on any other property. Why did they build and move like this to Keating West-View? The answer is easy. Greater Pittsburgh hasn't sufficient houses to supply the demand. A man these days cannot rent a good house that has city improvements. He can go out once in a while and buy one away off from where the city improvements are. But that isn't what he desires. He wants city improvements, and the best property on the market today in a fine location having all the city improvements is beyond all doubt this great new residential city at Perrysville.

You see a property that you know you can make money out of when you investigate Keating West-View No. 2. It has the proper appearance. It puts your home close to the city. It gives you the finest traction line in town to ride on. It brings the beautiful district lying out Perrysville Avenue in Allegheny, stretching from Keating to Bellevue, three miles nearer Pittsburgh than it was last year. It gives you all this and yet places you where the air is pure and you are away from the smallpox, soot, dirt, etc. You can go from Keating West-View to the corner of Fifth Avenue and Smithfield Street, which is the city terminus of the new traction line, in twenty-five minutes.

When you leave for the property be sure to take cars marked West-View, East Street and Madison Avenue. Don't take the Perrysville Avenue or Riverview Park cars unless you live on that line, as it takes Perrysville Avenue and Riverview Park cars forty-five minutes instead of twenty-five minutes to run from Pittsburgh to Keating West-View.

When you get off the cars to step on this property you will see the only place on top of earth where millions of dollars are being expended to grade, sewer and pave streets; to lay artificial and natural gas mains; to provide electric lights and to build a new water works which will not send you typhoid fever germs, but pure water taken from 700 feet beneath the bed of the Ohio River.

Remember that this property is being sold at prices that we cannot afford to mark on our next plan. When this plan is all sold off prices will be advanced. We cannot after this sale give you acreage prices and complete street improvements also.

Terms are 5 per cent down and 2½ per cent each month for balance, 10 per cent being allowed for cash when paid within 60 days.

READ ABOUT THE GRAND FREE-GIFT PREMIUM-EARNING BONDS:

We want all who become interested in the opportunity they see at Keating West-View No. 2 to ask about the premium-earning bonds that we are giving free to purchasers. These bonds are an inducement in themselves, to say nothing of the rapid increase in value each lot will have.

If properly fostered the bonds will earn 25 per cent at expiration of four months. Their life as an earning power does not expire for two years from the date they are issued to you. They are negotiable. You may transfer or sell them at your own will. They will earn as much as $250 when issued to purchasers of the higher priced lots, and are given with the $50 lots same as with the finer lots.

There never has been a free-gift attraction to equal this bond enterprise. Purchasers are surprised at the generous policy upon which the Keating West-View proposition is being conducted. The solidity of the bonds are unquestioned. They are backed by some of Pittsburgh's best known millionaires.

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BROWN INQUEST AGAIN PUT OFF

Next Session of Inquiry Into Late City Recorder's Death Set for September 22.

STATEMENT BY MISS M'LEAN

"Not Only Willing, but Anxious That Investigation Should Be Continued," She Says—Story of J. R. P. Brown's Proposed Dime Novel.

There will be no session of the coroner's inquest into the death of the late Recorder J. O. Brown today, as had been expected. Notice to this effect was served yesterday afternoon at the McLean home, No. 308 McKee place, the house at which Mr. Brown lived. With the notice came a subpoena for the McLeans' appearance at a session of the inquest to be held on Tuesday, September 22.

Miss Nattie McLean is indignant over the delays in the inquest. She said last night:

"J. R. F. Brown, brother of J. O. Brown, has stated in one of the papers that I was not willing to have the inquest go on. I wish to say now that this is wrong. I wish the inquest to go right ahead. I am not only willing, but anxious that this should be done. In the notice of the postponement served on me today no reason was given for it. I do not know of any good reason why there should be further delays. Let the investigation be completed."

Miss McLean has been informed recently that there is a statute allowing those interested in an inquest to prevent the coroner delaying the investigation. She says she wonders why those interested in this investigation do not take advantage of this law.

Sensations Yet to Come.

An explanation was given last evening of the letter which she wrote from Washington state to Roger O'Mara during her recent trip.

"While I was there the Pittsburgh papers were forwarded to me, and in one of them I read a statement by J. R. P. Brown to the effect that I wished to have the inquest stopped. This was untrue, and in my letter to Mr. O'Mara I said that there was a part of the subject under inquiry which was not brought out. That is true. It may come out yet if the coroner who is directing the lines of investigation will turn his attention to that feature. Of course, it is in his power to bring out just what facts he wishes.

"Since my return I have found out what prompted the statement from J. R. P. Brown. A notice had been served on him by my counsel, it will be remembered. It was on the basis of this notice that he said I wished to delay the inquest. The notice has nothing to do with the inquest. It was a peremptory notice to him not to carry out his intention to write a dime novel, in which my picture was to be used on the title page.

Assorts Direct Information.

"Information came directly that this was his plan. I have understood since that the book was even written, perhaps it was in type ready for the press. It was to have been sold on the street cars and elsewhere. The notice from my counsel, who acted in my absence, stopped that plan. Mr. O'Mara just telephoned to J. R. P. Brown, who came to his office and was served with the papers.

"When I wrote my letter from Washington I did not know of this. It is only since my return that I have learned of it."

Miss McLean will not make public until the inquest has developed the subject the facts which she said give the clew to the whole mystery of the recorder's death. She will not even give a general idea as to what phase of the case these facts touch upon.

It was stated yesterday that the stock owned by the late recorder in the Pierre Ranch Cattle Company, amounting in par value to $100,000, is now in the possession of Mrs. Brown. Mr. Brown had sold some of the preferred stock, but the bulk of it is still the property of his estate, it is said. There has been considerable mystery regarding the whereabouts of this stock, it is alleged.

J. R. P. Brown said last night that the illness of Col. T. C. Campbell, his counsel, still continues, and that Attorney Scott Ferguson had asked the coroner for a continuation of the case. He said he did not know of a date being fixed for the next hearing.

LEWIS NIXON DENIES ALL CHARGES OF FRAUD

Says Plaintiff Secured Money from Him to Engage in the Making of Powder.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

TRENTON, N. J., Sept. 11.—Lewis Nixon, of the shipbuilding merger denied today in a bill filed in the court of chancery the charges made against him by Carl W. Volney in connection with the latter's process for making smokeless powder.

Volney sued for an accounting and claimed that Nixon had swindled him out of his powder patents and large sums of money and that he also failed to keep an agreement to provide him with profitable employment in the powder manufacturing business. Nixon says that Volney, by representing that he was without financial means, secured from him several sums of money aggregating $5,000. This money was advanced under an understanding that a contract should be secured from the government for 200,000 pounds of powder.

He insisted on a test of the powder's merits which was made under conditions assented to by Volney. The test proved an utter failure, Nixon alleges. The government never accepted any powder furnished by Volney.

The answer says that Volney transferred his patents to the International Smokeless Powder and Dynamite Company for $100,000 par value of the shares of the company. Besides this the defendant turned over to him $50,000 par value of the stock obtained by him from the company together with $2,000 in cash.

PEACE BETWEEN WAGNERS AND MONUMENT COMMITTEE

BERLIN, Sept. 11.—Countess Von Bulow has induced Emperor William to bring about peace between the Wagners and the Wagner monument committee. She represented to the emperor that the absence of the Wagners would really detract from the interest in the commemoration exercises. Frau Wagner only insisted on one change in the program and that was theoretical discussion of music, such as the congress was to engage in, which was opposed to the master's ideas, and the countess begged the emperor to make this concession, which he did.

P. & L. E. R. R.
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Saturday, September 12, 1903.
Special trains will leave Pittsburgh, 9:25 a. m. and 11:30 p. m. city time, arriving Falls at 5 p. m. and 7 a. m., respectively. Tickets are valid 5 days, and together with Pullman accommodations should be purchased in advance, at 257 Fifth avenue, city.

How He Got a Start.

Exciting. See Home Trust Company's ad. in next Sunday's Gazette.

STOLE FOR BRIDE HE SECRETLY WED

Now That He Is in Prison She Says She Was Never Married to Him.

QUAKER CITY POLICE BAFFLED

Great Grandson of Peale, the Famous Colonial Artist, Is in a Peculiar Matrimonial Mix-Up—Records Tell Story Different from Woman in the Case.

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU,
Press Building,
PHILADELPHIA, PA., Sept. 11.

In the matrimonial affairs of Charles Wilson Peale, now under arrest at the city hall, the police have discovered a mystery more baffling than the crime of which the young man stands accused.

The young woman named by the prisoner's mother and by the detectives as the bride he secretly married a few months ago, denies she is his wife, while rumor connects another girl with the prisoner's fate. Peale is a great-grandson of the famous colonial artist of that name and a grandnephew of Rembrandt Peale. He is confined upon a charge of stealing rare coins from Henry Chapman of this city. He says he needed the money to give his bride excursions on their honeymoon.

Soon after Peale's arrest last night he asked permission to telephone to his bride. The detectives were given to understand that her name was May Eden. Miss Eden acknowledges receiving a telephone message from Peale, but she understood that it was announcing that he was coming to see her. She denies absolutely, however, that she is his wife.

Peale, however, said that he was married to Miss Eden in Wilmington, Del. An examination of the board of health records in that city tonight shows that former Mayor Fisher married the couple on May 17. CHESTER D. POTTER.

THE NATIONAL.

Makers and Retailers of Men's and Youth's Clothing—The New Establishment Opens Its Doors for Business Today (Saturday.)

The National, one of the most progressive clothing houses in the country, will open its doors to the public this (Saturday) morning.

The new store is located at No. 354 Fifth avenue, near Smithfield street, and is directly opposite the Park building.

For weeks mechanics have been at work on the building which has been thoroughly renovated and many changes made in its interior arrangement.

The firm engages extensively in the manufacture of clothing and has for its motto: "From Maker to Wearer." In this way, save the middleman's profit. As to the stock carried by the National it will always be found strictly up-to-date. Even the lowest priced garments are equal in fit and finish to the finest custom made and have a style rest. Customers of the "National" in and individuality which has not heretofore been attained in ready-to-wear clothing.

The new firm has engaged an efficient and courteous force of salesmen—all Pittsburghers, men of ripe experience and wide acquaintance.

Mr. George M. Wilson, who is conceded to be one of the most practical and best posted clothing men in the city, is manager of the National. He has a host of friends and acquaintances in this section of the state, who wish him every success in his new undertaking.

Secret of English Ladies' Complexion

Year in and year out English families keep Beecham's Pills on hand for minor ailments, which are consequently checked in time to prevent severe illness. Women have peculiar weaknesses and ailments, and English women find Beecham's Pills combat and correct their troubles as nothing else will do. The secret is that Beecham's Pills keep their entire system in perfect working order and give nature the slight help needed.

Beecham's Pills

do the same for thousands of American women and are fast becoming as popular here. Health, strength and beauty follow Beecham's Pills whenever they are used. Happiness and comfort are within the reach of all. See special instructions with each box.

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How the Carnegie Millions Were Made

"And so, regarding it as a 'most hazardous enterprise,' Andrew Carnegie found himself fortuitously and complainingly thrust upon a road which was to lead him to a fortune of $250,000,000"—Jas. Howard Bridge.

The Pittsburgh Gazette

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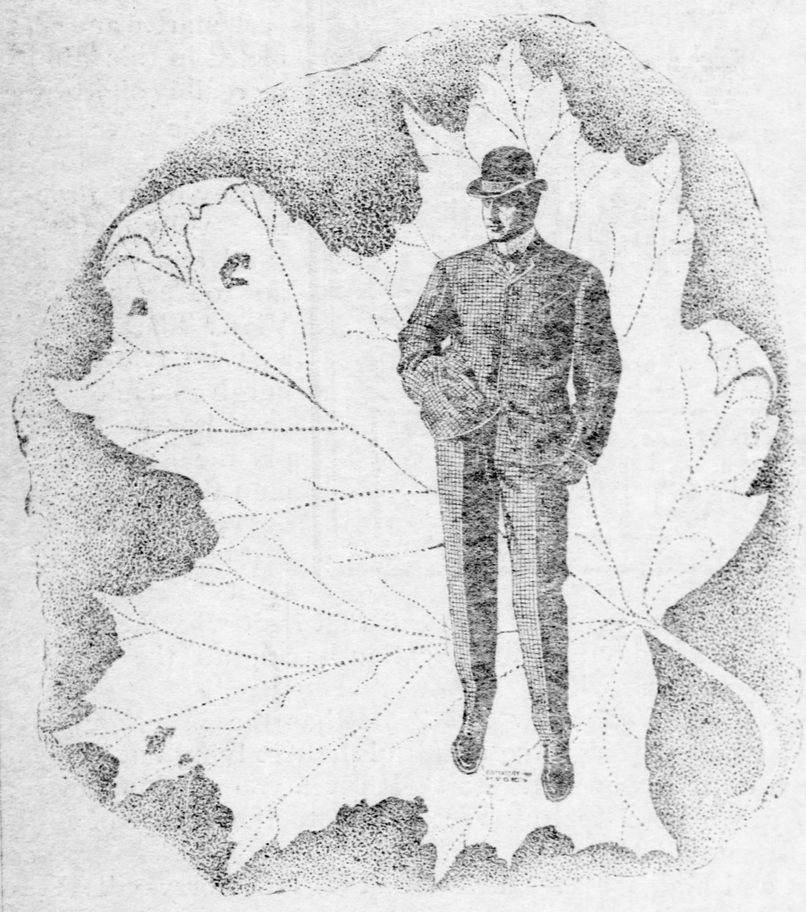

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New York	No Game	Boston	

AMERICAN LEAGUE RESULTS.

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THE PIRATES HANDED ZIMMER'S TEAM THE GAME

DUMBEST PLAY OF THE SEASON

Bransfield Was Guilty of It and Five Runs for the Quakers Was the Result.

CHAMPIONS' POOR DISPLAY

NATIONAL LEAGUE STANDING.

	W.	L.	Pct.		W.	L.	Pct.
Pittsburgh	84	41	.672	Brooklyn	62	61	.504
New York	76	49	.608	Boston	63	71	.427
Chicago	73	51	.589	Philadelphia	46	79	.356
Cincinnati	64	57	.529	St. Louis	41	84	.328

LEAGUE GAMES TODAY.

Philadelphia at Exposition Park.
Brooklyn at Chicago.
Boston at Cincinnati.
New York at St. Louis.

"Was He Dreaming, or Was He Doped?" was the title of a little one-act skit produced over at Exposition park yesterday afternoon, and the star part was played to perfection by First Baseman Bransfield of the Pittsburgh team. The result of the little playlet was a walkaway for the tribe of Chief Zimmer, 7 to 2, and goodness knows they need the victory to keep them out of last place, where they are playing a hide-and-seek game with Patsy Donovan's Cardinals.

Bransfield's little one-act farce was sprung in the ninth inning of a game that was a nip and tuck struggle all the way. At the time Kitty sprung his little affair on an unsuspecting audience of 1,750, there were two Quakers out and three hands on the bases, and the score 2 to 1 in the visitors' favor. Kid Gleason was at bat and he pasted the ball down to Bransfield and started on a dog trot toward first. With the crack of the bat the Pirates' pitcher started toward first, but seeing that Kitty had everything his own way he stopped short.

In the meantime Bransfield stood just two strides back of first with the ball in his hands, and making no effort whatever to reach the bag, Gleason ambled across it, touched it as it fairly quickly, and putting on steam he sailed over first, while the big Pirate stood there holding the ball. At the same time Chief Zimmer, who had been roosting on third, walked across the plate with the run. This followed a batting bee by the Quakers, and when it was over four runs had been tallied.

Bransfield, who was guilty of what was beyond doubt the funniest play ever seen at the ball park, wanted to place the blame on the pitcher, claiming he should have covered first, but this was a thin excuse, as he had plenty of time to cover. Besides, the Pirate's young pitchers are not as expert on first base covering as the old-timers, and no one knows this better than Bransfield himself. It was a very stupid bit of work and deserved the jeers given by the spectators. Had Bransfield made the play as he should have done there was a chance for a Pirate victory.

To tell the real truth it looked as though the locals had determined to defeat the Quakers anyway, or else they would have played the game different. For instance, in the eighth inning, with the score 2 to 1 in the Quakers' favor, Thompson, who was first at bat, singled and Beaumont, who followed, should have sacrificed him to second. Instead of doing that Beaumont smashed away at the ball and was out on a fly to left. Then Woodruff struck out, Clarke and Spring filling the bases. Had Beaumont sacrificed Thompson to second he could easily have scored on the singles.

Thompson, the new man from California, pitched the game for the Pirates and he showed remarkably clever work, and might have scored a victory had he been given proper support. In the early innings he was a bit wild, but he steadied down and had the Quaker batsmen guessing all the way. Aside from the time Bransfield made his monumental blunder, but seven scattered hits had been secured off his delivery. Mitchell, who pitched for Zimmer's team, had a fairly good day, and he mowed the Pirate batters down in the easiest kind of style.

The Pirates' first run was scored by Clarke in the fourth when he led off with a single, stole second and scored on Sebring's single to left. In the ninth it looked like a rally for the locals, but Kruger was the only one to score. Thomas settled all hopes by pulling a Leach's grand fly for a three-bagger. The visitors scored in the second when Barry went to first on balls, and got around on Douglass' single and an out at first. In the sixth Hulswitt singled, was sacrificed to second, went to third on a wild pitch and scored on Thomas' single. Bransfield's dumb play was directly responsible for the five runs in the ninth. The score:

Pittsburgh	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Phila	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Beaut, m.	0	1	1	0	0	Thomas, ss.	1	1	2	1	0
Clarke, l.	1	1	2	4	0	Gleason, 2.	1	2	2	4	0
Leach, 3.	0	0	0	2	1	Wolverton, 3.	1	1	0	2	0
Sebring, r.	0	2	0	0	0	Titus, r.	0	1	3	1	0
Ritchey, 2.	0	0	4	3	0	Barry, 1.	1	1	4	0	0
Kruger, s.	0	1	1	4	1	Douglass, 1.	0	2	3	0	0
Smith, c.	0	1	2	5	1	Hulswitt, s.	1	1	1	4	0
Thomp'n, p.	0	0	0	1	0	Zimmer, c.	1	1	4	0	0
*Marshall	0	0	0	0	0	Mitchell, p.	1	0	1	1	0
Totals	2	8	27	17	2	Totals	7	11	27	15	1

*Batted for Thompson in ninth.

Pittsburgh	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	—2
Philadelphia	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	5	1	—7

Two-base hits—Hulswitt, Thompson. Sacrifice hits—Hulswitt, Zimmer. Stolen bases—Beaumont, Clarke, Kruger, Thomas, Gleason. Double play—Ritchey and Bransfield. First base on balls—Off Gleason, 2 (Clarke, Barry); off Mitchell 3 (Clarke 2, Bransfield). Struck out—By Thompson 1 (Mitchell), by Mitchell 1 (Smith). Wild pitches—Thompson 2. Time—1:50. Umpire—O'Day.

NOTES OF THE GAME.

When Chief Zimmer first appeared at bat his many friends in the stands gave him the glad hand, and the Chief doffed his cap, a thing he does not often do, as there is a lack of hair on his pate. The Chief's popularity in this city never seems to wane.

Hans Wagner was in uniform yesterday, and when he went out on the field to take part in the pre-game practice the people in the stands gave him a rousing cheer. The colored negro boy's injured leg is all right again and he is liable to be found back in the game any day. Goodness knows his presence is needed.

Of course the Pirates may have been playing the best ball they knew how yesterday, but to a man on the outside it looked very much as though the champions were giving their old friend and fellow player, Chief Zimmer, an opportunity to keep his Quakers out of last place. Some of the plays made were pure excuse.

After making a pretty bunt in the fifth inning Catcher Smith made a pretty close to putting himself out of the game. Should Clarke, the ball had been fielded and being anxious to reach first safely he slid into the bag, and in doing so he twisted his ankle, and it was so sore that he was forced to get Leever to run for him.

In the fifth inning Kid Gleason landed on one of Thompson's tenders and drove it with such force against the pitcher's leg that it nearly tore that member off. The good-natured Thompson was so stunned by the blow that for a moment it looked as though he was going to drop over, but he recovered in a moment, and with a smile went back to his pitching duty.

In the second inning Hulswith of the Quakers bunted and Catcher Harry Smith chased the ball, but as he was about to clutch it the ball took a funny little bound and eluded his grasp. Harry threw himself flat on his stomach, and after getting his hands on the ball fielded it to first while flat on his stomach, and he scored on the out. The spectators generously applauded the play and the applause was deserved.

It was bad enough for Kitty Bransfield to make that awful blunder in the ninth inning, but it was a great deal worse for Kitty to try to saddle the blame on Pitcher Thompson. After getting Gleason's grounder Bransfield had plenty of time to reach the base and make the putout but whatever got into Kitty he simply stood with the ball in his hands until Gleason reached first and Zimmer crossed the plate with a run. It's not often that the champions make mistakes of that kind, but when one is made it is very bad.

It was a pity that the Pirates blundered yesterday's game away because it gives people a chance to accuse the old players of not trying to support the young pitchers, and it really looks that way in Thompson's case. That pitcher was given the poorest kind of support when he went in the box in Monday morning's game, and it was the same thing yesterday. Thompson was pitching as pretty a game as any one would care to look at until Bransfield made that awful blunder in the ninth, and then he went into the air and it was little wonder. A mistake of that kind would rattle the oldest and coolest of pitchers.

THE COLTS BEATEN.

Brooklyn Managed to Nose Out a Victory.

CHICAGO, Sept. 11.—Two hits, with a steal, and an error, in the first, three singles, a stiff and an out in the second gave Brooklyn a close game today. Schmidt was very effective at critical points, and in several innings retired his opponents with men on bases. Currie's fielding was a decided feature. Attendance 1,500. Score:

Chicago.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Brooklyn.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Siegel, m.	0	0	3	0	0	Strang, s.	1	2	1	3	0
McCarty, l.	0	1	0	0	0	Sheckard, l.	1	0	2	0	0
Chance, l.	0	1	1	6	0	0	Dobbs, m.	0	1	3	0	0
Jones, r.	0	0	2	1	0	0	Doyle, 1.	0	0	0	1	0
Dilker, r.	0	0	0	2	0	Dahlen, s.	0	0	4	3	0
Williams, s.	0	0	0	1	0	Ziegler, r.	0	1	2	0	0
Kling, c.	0	0	2	0	1	Jordan, 2.	0	1	1	1	0
Evers, 2.	0	1	2	1	2	Jacklitch, c.	0	1	3	3	0
Casey, 3.	0	1	2	4	1	Schmidt, p.	0	0	1	2	0
Currie, p.	0	0	0	0	0						
Totals.	0	4	27	19	3	Totals.	3	6	27	12	0

Chicago	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	—2
Brooklyn	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—3

Left on bases—Chicago 10, Brooklyn 9. Two-base hits—Jones, Evers, Dobbs. Sacrifice hits—Siegle, Schmidt, Sheckard. Stolen bases—Chance 2, Siegle, Strang. Struck out—By Currie 2, by Schmidt 2. Bases on balls—Off Currie 4, off Schmidt 8. Wild pitch—Schmidt. Time—1:40. Umpire—Moran.

SIGNED NEW AGREEMENT.

Garry Herrmann Appoints Ban Johnson's Friends.

CINCINNATI, Sept. 11.—What is known as the Buffalo national agreement, as amended and adopted at a conference here last night of representatives of both the major and minor baseball leagues, went into effect today at noon, when the following signatures thereto were affixed:

For the National league—Harry C. Pulliam, president.

For the American league—Ban C. Johnson, president.

For the National Association of Minor Leagues—Pat T. Powers, president.

The National Baseball association, of which August Herrmann, president of the Cincinnati club, is chairman, completed its organization by the election of L. E. Bruce of Cincinnati as secretary and Robert McCoy of Chicago as assistant secretary. Mr. Bruce is the attorney of Ban Johnson and part owner of the St. Louis American club. McCoy, who has been secretary to Ban Johnson at Chicago, will remove to Cincinnati and will have his headquarters here with Chairman Herrmann of the committee.

WILL SELL HIS STOCK.

Detroit Club Owner Wants More Partners.

DETROIT, MICH., Sept. 11.—(Special.)—S. F. Angus, president of the local American league club, proposes to dispose of a large amount of his stock in the club to business and professional men in the city, in the belief that, with an ownership of this sort, there will be more general interest in the club and, so to speak, more persons boosting the club.

Mr. Angus will not dispose of a majority of shares in the club, but the amount he has not yet decided upon. There will be several meetings of the directors held in the near future, and then will decide how much of the club stock shall be disposed of.

EASTERN ATHLETES WON.

The West Met Defeat in the Milwaukee Struggle for A. A. U. Honors.

MILWAUKEE, WIS., Sept. 11.—The New York Athletic club carried off the honors in the great national championship senior events of the Amateur Athletic union at State Fair park this afternoon, winning a total of 50 points against 36 for the Milwaukee Athletic club, which was its nearest competitor. The First Regiment Athletic association, Chicago, finished a very close third with 29 points. The Montreal Amateur Athletic association, with but three representatives, has 10 points to its credit, and the University of Chicago is next in line with 9 points. Greater New York Irish Athletic association and the Central Y. M. C. A. each took 9 points.

As predicted, the struggle was between the east and west, and the east won. The all-around work of Mitchell, the weight man; Jones, in the jumps and hurdles, and of Alex Grant, the invincible long-distance man, was too much for the Western men, although the sprints and many field events fell to the Milwaukee and Chicago contingents.

The day was fine, and the track, which was so poor yesterday, had been worked over into fairly good condition. The events were run off in the presence of a record-breaking crowd, the attendance being estimated at 30,000 people. While no records were broken, there was no loafing, and every prize was fought for to the end. The entries were small but of the very choicest, so that the quantity was much more than made up by the quality of the contestants.

WILL PLAY FOR CASH.

Manor and Youngwood Teams to Do Battle.

IRWIN, PA., Sept. 11.—(Special.)—Fans in the county are much excited over the game of ball at Manor tomorrow afternoon between the Manor and the Youngwood teams for $200 a side, the money having been posted a week ago. Youngwood defeated Manor 11 to 2 two weeks ago, and it was claimed that Manor outplayed its opponents. Manager Pratt of Youngwood objected to the statement and asked for another game for $200 a side. He was accommodated by Manager Ludwick of Manor. Youngwood will have its regular battery in, Russell and McGivern, and Manor will use its regular battery, Rankin and Cramer.

The game is also interesting because of the Irwin-Manor game the afternoon of Labor day. Russell was secured by the former to pitch the game, with Tray, Irwin's regular pitcher, on the slab for the morning contest. Tray won and Russell lost, having been hit freely by Manor. This makes a win for Youngwood off Rankin and one for Manor off Russell. A great deal of money is being wagered.

Was Hard-Fought Game.

YOUNGSTOWN, O., Sept. 11.—(Special.)—Ohio Works this afternoon defeated New Castle Steel Works in a hard fought game, in the fourth inning, after two were out and a three-base hit had been made, Cline passed two, and a slip pitch scored Haggerty. In the seventh Ohio batted in the runs. Score:

Ohio Wks	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	N. Castle.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
McKee, l.	1	1	3	0	0	Haggerty	3	2	1	2	1
Truxes, m.	0	0	1	0	0	Osman, s.	0	1	4	5	0
Murphy, l.	1	1	3	0	0	Cline, p.	0	0	0	4	0
Keller, 3.	0	1	0	2	0	Sawyer, 2.	0	1	1	1	0
James, s.	1	2	1	5	0	Brown, l.	0	0	2	0	0
Sayre, r.	0	0	1	0	0	Brooks, l.	0	0	5	0	0
Sapp, 2.	0	1	2	2	2	Weeks, r.	0	0	1	0	0
Sixsmith, c.	0	0	6	1	0	McDon'd c.	0	1	5	2	0
Rook, p.	0	1	1	4	0	Dough'y	0	0	0	2	0
Totals.	4	8	27	14	2	Totals.	3	4	24	16	1

Ohio Works	0	0	0	2	0	0	2	0	*—	4
New Castle	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0—	2

Three-base hit—James. Two-base hits—Sapp, Starr, McDonald. Stolen bases—Sixsmith, Sawyer, Haggerty. Sacrifice hit—Osman. Double play—Starr, Osman and James; Keller and Murphy. Left on bases—Ohio 8, New Castle 4. Bases on balls—Off Cook 1, off Cline 3. Struck out—By Rook 2, by Cline 5. Passed balls—McDonald 2. Wild pitch—Cline. Time—1:40. Umpire—Evans.

Altoona Defeated Penn Park.

ALTOONA, PA., Sept. 11.—Altoona won from Penn Park today by fast fielding and sequential hitting. Score:

Penn Park	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	0	0	1—1
Altoona	0	0	0	0	2	1	1	1	0	*—5

Sacrifice hit—Doherty. Stolen bases—Cooper, Hilton 2, Davis, Elliott, Dennis. Two-base hits—Hilton, Cooper. First base on errors—Altoona 3, Penn Park 1. Left on bases—Altoona 7, Penn Park 8. Double plays—Doherty to Smith; Smith to Denny. Struck out—By Lipp 1, Beam 2, Hollis 2. Bases on balls—By Hollis 2, by Lipp 2. Hit by pitcher—By Lipp 2, by Hollis 1. Time—1:42. Umpires—O'Neil and Hilbert.

Toledo Gets New Pitcher.

HAVERHILL, MASS., Sept. 11.—Otto Denzinger, pitcher of the Haverhill, New England league team, has been sold to the Toledo club of the American association. He will join the Toledo team next season.

CORBETT THINKS THAT FITZ IS ABOUT ALL IN

Says the Australian Would Be Easy for Gardner or Any Other Young Fighter.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

NEW YORK, Sept. 11.—Jim Corbett is one fighter who thinks that Bob Fitzsimmons' days as a great fighter have finally vanished. In speaking of the proposed contest between Fitzsimmons and George Gardner, the light heavyweight champion, in St. Louis, Corbett said:

"In the first place, I don't think they will ever fight, if they should come together I am certain Gardner will beat him. Fitzsimmons in order to get down to the weight which Gardner demands—168 pounds—would weaken himself so much he could not do himself justice. At present Fitzsimmons weighs close to 200 pounds, and to reduce himself 30 pounds would surely mean defeat for him.

"Then, again, Fitzsimmons is not the great fighter he was when he fought me. He has aged considerably, and besides is too slow to make any sort of a battle with such a nimble-footed fellow as Gardner. Made use my words, the first man that Fitzsimmons fights will beat him."

DAN PATCH FAILED TO BEAT THE RECORD

Made a Gallant Try, but the Best He Could Do Was 2:01 Flat. Some Spirited Racing.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

HARTFORD, Sept. 11.—In a battle against time, handicapped by a heavy wind and an unsatisfactory track, Dan Patch, the champion pacer, failed at Charter Oak park today to break the record made there two years ago by Star Pointer in two minutes flat. The wonderful horse, however, went the mile in 2:01, doing the last quarter in :29½.

This was a second better than the experts who had sized up the conditions anticipated, and as a result the flyer was given an ovation which lasted several minutes when his time was posted. The fractional parts of this time were: Quarter, :31; half, 1:01; three-quarters, 1:31½; last quarter, :29½; total 2:01.

Of the other events of the closing day of the meet the 2:07 trot furnished the most excitement. Dan T., after finishing fourth in the first heat, took the next three in succession, but Geers had to work hard to bring about this result. The summary, with fractional stages, Rythmic, the blind horse, had an unfortunate experience in the first heat of the race, which put him out of the contest. While rounding the first half mile Rythmic came off one wheel and Hudson dismounted and walked home. He explained to the judges the cause of his mishap, but after a consultation the announcement was made that Rythmic had been distanced. There was a storm of hisses, while the horse was cheered every time he passed the grandstand afterwards.

The other races, while spirited, were uneventful. Summaries:

2:05 pace, 2 in 3, purse $1,000:

Nervolo, b. h. (Hudson)	1	1
Terrace Queen, b. m. (Geers)	3	2
Carl Whiser, ch. g. (McDonald)	2	3
Prairie Dillon (Crow)	4	4
Riley B., blk. h. (Ervin)	5	5

Time, 2:08¼, 2:08½.

Second and third money divided between Terrace Queen and Carl Whiser, fourth money between Fannie Dillard and Riley B.

2:10 pace, 3 in 5, purse $1,500:

Star Hal, br. h. (Snow)	1	1	1
John T., ch. g. (Hudson)	2	3	2
Jessie S., br. m. (McDonald)	3	2	3
Olive Wood, b. g. (Phillips)	5	4	5
Brown Heels, b. h. (Dodge)	4	5	4

Time—2:06¾, 2:07¾, 2:07¼.

Odd Money, 2:10 class, 1 in 5, purse $3,000:

Judge Green, b. g. (Curry)	2	1	1
Texas, g. m. (Kenick)	3	3	2
Prince Garon, b. h. (Ecker)	4	4	3
Patchen Maid, blk. m. (Dorgder)	2	1	ds

Time, 2:04¼, 2:04¼, 2:05¾.

2:07 trot, 2 in 3, purse $1,500:

Dan T., b. g. (Geers)	4	1	1
Perene, blk. m. (Benyon)	1	3	3
Lou Dillon, m. (Pitter)	3	2	2
Charley Herr, b. h. (Kelly)	5	5	4
Monte Carlo, b. h. (Ervin)	6	6	5
Rythmic, br. h. (Ryan)	7	7	dr

Time, 2:07¼, 2:08¾, 2:10.

THE ARMY TEAM WON.

Captured Dryden Trophy—Colored Man Made Best Score for Winning Team.

SEA GIRT, N. J., Sept. 11.—The infantry relief team of the United States army came to the fore very decidedly late this afternoon and captured the Dryden trophy by scoring a total of 989 out of a possible 1,200.

The competition was closer and more spirited than any other team contest held during the meet. At the conclusion of the firing at the 200-yard stage, New Jersey was in the lead. When "cease firing" was sounded at the 500-yard stage, however, the District of Columbia had moved to the front and led the race by 12 points. Then, at the 600-yard stage, the last range, the infantry team of the United States army closed the gap and finished 5 points ahead of the next nearest competitor, the District of Columbia.

The best individual shooting among the members of the winning team was done by Quartermaster Sergeant Hawkins, who is a colored man. The army folk here were very much elated because of the victory of the infantry team, for the Dryden match was considered second only in importance to the National trophy match.

The Wind Up at Indiana.

INDIANA, PA., Sept. 11.—The last day of the fair here did not draw nearly so large a crowd as yesterday, but it had rained during the night and all forenoon the weather was stuffy and threatening. The sky cleared about noon, however, and the afternoon was pleasant.

About 10 o'clock the grand cavalcade of all the stock exhibition took place on the track, making a procession nearly half a mile long. At noon the first balloon ascension of the week was made, wind and rain having thwarted two attempts. The races were not nearly so exciting as had been those of yesterday because the track was heavy and slow. Interest centered chiefly about the struggle between Tess and Newaboy for the free-for-all, Tess finally winning. Following is the summary:

2:50 trot or pace, purse $900:

Rosalie Simmons, s. m., J. S. Mitinger	1	1	
Village Belle, b. g., Fred Jamison	2	2	2
Don Goodwin, b. g., E. E. Ross	3	3	3

Time, 2:30, 2:31, 2:30.

Free-for-all, trot or pace, purse $200.

Tess, b. m., C. S. Munch	1	1	1
Newsboy, g. g., J. Cover	2	2	2
Paul Pry, s. g., L. E. Furtwangler, dis			

Time, 2:18, 2:20½, 2:27, 2:30.

The Clarion Fair Races.

CLARION, PA., Sept. 11.—(Special.)—The Clarion county fair closed this evening. It has been the most successful one, financially and otherwise, that has been held here for years. Owing to the rain last night the track was a little heavy this afternoon. Taking this into consideration, the races were good. The winners today are as follows:

2.30 pace, purse $250:

Joe Wilson, b. g. (Ferguson)	5	5	5
Jim Abarrah, b. g. (Arthurs)	1	2	2
Hal P., b. s. (Mann)	2	4	4
Mabel N., b. m. (Nichols)	6	3	6
Charlie, b. g. (Hoffman)	3	6	3
Handy Wilkes, b. g. (Dale)	dr		
Nellie Walker, b. m. (Cryan)	4	3	0

Time, 2:24¾, 2:25, 2:29.

2.22 pace, purse $250:

Redmond, c. g. (Modfett)	1	1	1
Kewanee John, b. g. (Taylor)	4	4	3
Angeline, b. m. (Dinger)	3	3	4
King Pike, br. g. (Wilson)	2	2	1
Nellie Walker, b. m. (Cryan)	dr		

Time, 2:21¼, 2:20, 2:22¼.

Farmers' race, pace or trot, purse $50:

Jennie Hasbrook, s. m. (Winters)	2	3	2
Ashland Wilkes, s. g. (McElhattan)	3	4	6
Ben S., b. g. (Slagle)	5	6	4
Mary Mays, b. m. (Steiner)	1	1	1
Nell, blk. m. (Largent)	4	2	3
Delina, b. m. (Cunningle)	6	5	5

Time 2:46½, 2:48, 2:46½.

FIRST VICTIM OF GRIDIRON

Elmer Lantz of Whitaker, a village near Munhall, is the first football victim of the season. He had a collar bone broken in a game at Hays park yesterday and was severely bruised about the body, receiving injuries which will confine him to bed for several weeks.

DOSE FOR THE BURGESS.

Hickey's Team Twice Beaten at Sharon Yesterday.

SHARON, PA., Sept. 11.—(Special.)—Sharon took both games from Millvale this afternoon. McNeil and Patterson pitched good ball, hands batting and fielding of Flint and Yohe were features. Score:

Sharon	0	1	4	2	4	2	*	—14		
Millvale	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	

Stolen bases—Jamison, Hicker, McAleese 2, Evans, Kerr, Badel, Flint. Two-base hits—McAleese, Badel, McCracken. Three-base hit—Evans. Bases on balls—Off Good 1, off Brown 2. Hit by pitched ball—Hoban. Struck out—By McNeil 7, by Good 5. Hits—Off Good 8, off Brown 6. Passed balls—Shelter, Piper. Time—1:40. Umpires—Williams.

SECOND GAME.

Sharon	0	0	3	0	0	3	2	1	2	*—11
Millvale	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	—5

Stolen bases—Kerr, Badel, Flint, Yohe. Two-base hits—McAleese, Badel 2, Yohe. Three-base hit—McCracken. Glitz. Bases on balls—Off Doyle 1, Badel. Bases on balls—Off Doyle 2. Struck out—By Doyle 2, by Patterson 1. Time—1:45. Umpire—Williams.

Central League Games.

EVANSVILLE, IND., Sept. 11.—Score:

Evansville	0	1	2
South Bend	1	0	1

Batteries—Wills and McMillen, Reed and Marion.

MARION, IND., Sept. 11.—Score:

Marion	0	0	0
Wheeling	0	2	2

Batteries—Merryman and Gump, Smith and Schaefer.

TERRE HAUTE, IND., Sept. 11.—Score:

Ft. Wayne	0	0	1
Terre Haute	0	0	1

Batteries—Alberts and Ostdick, Scott and Richardson.

DAYTON, O., Sept. 11.—Score:

Dayton	0	1	0
Grand Rapids	1	0	0

Batteries—Mullen and Kvasnick, Thomas and O'Neill.

Scottdale Beat Johnstown.

JOHNSTOWN, PA., Sept. 11.—(Special.)—Johnstown's crippled aggregation with Groff and Murphy out of the game and Kirk and Kinkead, Williams and Owens suffering from sore hands, dropped a loosely played game to Scottdale today. The visitors hit about the time Johnstown fielded to pieces, getting 14 hits. The same clubs play tomorrow. Score:

	R.	H.	P.
Johnstown	0	1	0
Scottdale	2	3	0

Two-base hit—Riley. Stolen bases—Williams, McGuire, Doherty, Stennett, Shannon. Bases on balls—McGuire, Owens, Clark. Hit by pitched ball—Kinkead, Owens, Williams, Owens, Clark, 2, Stoner 2, Sterrett, Shannon, Palmer. Time—1:30. Umpire—Dockery.

Homestead and Millvale.

The first of the series of championship ball games between Hickory's Millvale team and the H. L. A. C. will be played at Steel Works park today and promised to be the greatest game for this season's point of local interest. Pearson will twirl for the Homestead aggregation and Kid Williams will be on the rubber for Millvale. The Homestead players arrived home last evening flushed with their victories against Waynesburg and confidentially expect to capture the series.

P. & L. E. EXCURSIONS.

Ashtabula	$2.50
Erie	$3.00
North East	$3.25

All trains Saturday and the Flyer Sunday morning. Leave Lake Erie station 8 o'clock, due Ashtabula 10:45. Returning Sunday evening, due Pittsburgh 10:45.

EXCURSION TO WHEELING TOMORROW. Via B. & O. R. R., $1.50 Round Trip.

Special train leaves Pittsburgh at 8:40 a. m.

BOTH TEAMS USED WHITEWASH BRUSH

Cleveland Was Shut Out in First Game and Detroit Got Dose in the Second.

SOME FINE WORK BY KILLIAN

AMERICAN LEAGUE STANDING.

	W.	L.	Pct.		W.	L.	Pct.
Boston	80	42	.656	Detroit	69	56	.504
Cleveland	70	56	.556	St. Louis	59	68	.434
Philadelphia	64	59	.520	Chicago	44	85	.341
New York	61	66	.721	Washington	37	83	.303

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

CLEVELAND, Sept. 11.—Detroit and Cleveland broke even in a double header today, each scoring a shut-out. Cleveland could not hit Mullin in the first game, while Bernhard's poor work at first gave Detroit a victory in three runs. In the second game Killian was invincible, while Skopec was wild. The second game was called in the sixth inning on account of darkness. Scores:

FIRST GAME.

Cleveland	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Detroit.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Elick, r.	0	0	1	1	0	Lush, l.	0	0	2	0	0
Day, l.	0	0	1	0	0	Barrett, m.	1	1	2	0	0
Bradley, s.	0	0	1	2	0	Crawford, r.	0	1	2	0	0
Lajoie, 2.	0	1	1	5	0	Carr, 1.	0	0	9	0	0
Hickman, l.	0	0	1	1	0	Yeager, s.	0	2	1	1	0
Thomas, ss.	0	0	1	2	0	Payne, 2.	0	1	2	4	0
Bernhard, 1.	0	0	9	0	0	Schaefer, 3.	0	1	1	2	0
Bemis, c.	0	0	6	0	0	Schmidt, c.	0	0	5	0	0
Buelow, p.	0	0	0	1	0	Mullin, p.	0	1	0	2	0
*Killian	0	0	0	0	0						
Totals.	0	1	27	13	0	Totals.	1	6	27	11	0

*Batted for Buelow in ninth.

Cleveland	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—0
Detroit	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	—3

First base on errors—Detroit 1. Three-base hit—Schaefer. Sacrifice hits—Lush, Bernhard. Stolen bases—Yeager, Payne. Hit by pitched ball—Mullin 1. Bases on balls—Off Mullin 1, Buelow 1. Left on bases—Cleveland 3, Detroit 5. Struck out—By Mullin 1, by Buelow 1. Passed ball—Schmidt. Wild pitches—Mullin 1. Time—1:45. Umpire—Sheridan. Attendance—5,694.

SECOND GAME.

Cleveland	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Detroit.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Flick, r.	2	1	1	0	0	Hart, r.	0	0	0	0	0
Day, l.	1	1	1	0	0	Barrett, m.	0	0	2	0	0
Bradley, s.	1	0	0	0	0	Crawford, r.	0	0	2	1	0
Lajoie, 2.	0	1	2	2	0	Carr, 1.	0	0	8	0	0
Hickman, l.	1	2	2	0	0	Yeager, s.	0	0	1	0	1
Thomas, ss.	0	0	1	3	0	Payne, 2.	0	0	1	4	0
Bernhard, 1.	0	0	8	0	0	Schaefer, 3.	0	0	1	2	0

PITTSBURGHER DECLINES HONOR

Miles S. Humphreys Would Not Accept Presidency of Fire Engineers.

IS OBJECT OF CONSPIRACY

Grand Plan Under Way to Elect Him Without His Consent--He is Suspicious. Rushes to Convention Hall and Stops the Proceedings.

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU,
Tower's Ocean Pier,
ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., Sept. 11.

Miles S. Humphries, chief of the Pittsburgh fire bureau, received a high tribute of respect from the fellow members of the National Association of Fire Engineers, whose convention adjourned today, when they tried to force him to accept the presidency of the organization. There was dissatisfaction over the incumbency, Edward K. Croker of New York, who sought re-election, and Humphreys was asked to take the office. The Pittsburgh chief served two terms, having been succeeded by Croker. Ever since Humphreys arrived here his popularity has been attested to by special committees from various states pleading with him to reassume the duties of leader, but he said nay. Undaunted by their failure his friends put his name in nomination unknown to him. But he was suspicious and quit a party of friends on the boardwalk and hastened to the convention hall in time to hear only polite speeches in his behalf. Immediately upon entering the hall he stopped the speaker and said he would not accept the office. His withdrawal left W. J. Joyner of Atlanta, and J. R. Canterbury in the field, as Croker's strength failed to materialize, and directly Canterbury withdrew and the secretary was instructed to cast the ballot for Joyner.

Chief John Stagg of Paterson, N. J., was elected first vice president, and Chief George Kellogg of Sioux City, Iowa, second vice president. Chief Isaac Wiesenthal was made state vice president for New Jersey. Secretary Harry A. Hills of Wyoming, Ohio, and Treasurer Daniel C. Perkins of Dayton, Ohio, were re-elected. President Joyner announced that he would appoint the board of directors at a later date. Chattanooga was selected as the next meeting place.

Pittsburghers at the Seaside.

The following Pittsburghers are registered at the various hotels:

BEAUMONT.
Thos. Carey, Emma A. Boyle, M. G. Hayes, Mrs. F. Maltrasta, F. Haney, Mrs. E. E. Chamberlain, Albert P. Manning.

SEASIDE.
William M. Meiselbach, B. H. Hoffmire, F. H. Illingsmith, Jean Sloss.

BERKSHIRE.
M. Brownstein, Mrs. L. Lotterman, Thos. W. Harvey, Miss Bertha McCauley.

CHALFONTE.
PREDONIA.
P. R. Jackson, John W. Williams, Mrs. Jackson, W. D. Donner, Mrs. Donner.

HOLMHURST.
Robert Donner, Margaret Donner.

Miss Jennie Rankin, Joseph A. Donner, Margaret Donner.

KUEHNLES.
Chas. T. Leibl, H. Parkhill, Charles Phillips.

NEW CLARION.
Mrs. L. Webster, Mrs. Margaret Kelling, Frank R. Donaldson, Mrs. C. Doner, Miss Anna Lewis.

SHOREHAM.
Mrs. Gillott, L. S. Lloyd.

WESTMINSTER.
Mr. Glover, P. A. Brady.

PELHAM.
Henry Horne, Mrs. S. Benney.

BEAUMONT.
BRIGHTON.
Mrs. Saylor, P. H. Illingsmith.

Miss M. P. McClure, A. L. Darragh.

IROQUOIS.
Miss S. E. Cline, Mrs. Darragh, Mrs. A. Capen.

W. C. CLARK.

PERSONALS

Fifteen chic boys from Steubenville will be the guests of Father Fitz today. They will be met by Judge Joseph B. Doyle, managing editor of the Steubenville Herald Star, which paper is paying the expenses of the trip. The morning will be spent in sightseeing, and this afternoon the party will attend the performance at the Avenue theatre, where they will be the guests of Manager Harry Davis. Mr. Doyle has for years had charge of Steubenville's school boys, whose fame extends over Ohio and West Virginia, and he has made this rule to give them an annual outing.

Alderman J. D. Walker of the East End returned yesterday from an extended trip through the far west and the Pacific coast. He attended the national encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic and was elected commander of the Union ex-Prisoners of War. Both organizations met in San Francisco. Col. Walker visited several points of interest, making stops at Santa Fe, Denver and other places. He returns much improved in health.

H. E. Jones of Baltimore passed through the city last night over the Baltimore & Ohio railroad. He is on his way to St. Louis. He represents a carpenters' union of Baltimore and has been called to effect a despute between members of the union and the bricklayers working in a department house building. They are striking until the trouble is adjusted.

W. Pritchard of Liverpool, England, registered last night at the Hotel Schenley.

Neighbors Visiting Pittsburgh.

The nearby residents registered at the local hotels last night were as follows:

Duquesne—T. L. Lewis, Latrobe; S. A. Wallace, Bedford; S. N. Flanegan, Parkersburg; M. E. Corbett, New Castle.

Hotel Schenley—H. C. Parker, Dawson; D. J. Dillon, Kane; E. Robinson, Fairmont; B. S. Pope, Parkersburg.

Griswold—R. G. Fenity, Morgantown; H. L. Fitzgerald, Shutterville; W. O. Kline, Rices Landing; George E. Ellenan, Johnstown; O. C. Foster, Akron.

Monongahela House—F. J. Logue, Johnstown; W. N. Kinister, Grafton; Ralph Fairfax, Morgantown; John Ray, Washington.

Lincoln—Peter A. McLeod, Butler; A. H. Watkins, Sharon.

Victoria—W. H. Swanson, New Haven; R. W. McMillan, Erie.

Anderson—J. A. Clark, East Brady; J. J. Lobbecker, Butler.

Seventh Avenue—F. J. Kelly, Carbondale; James Cheyney, Scranton; N. W. Phillips, New Castle; H. L. McKown, Wheeling; H. A. Jackson, Arnold; J. B. Steele, Steubenville; E. E. Hobson, Sistersville.

Newell—H. E. Franklin, West Newton.

GOVERNOR ODELL IS TAKEN ILL AT BUFFALO

BUFFALO, Sept. 11.—(Special.)—Governor Benjamin B. Odell, Jr., arrived in Buffalo today and attended the Hamburg Fair, where he made a short speech. He was very ill when he reached here, having experienced a severe attack of indigestion on the train. It was necessary for him to cancel his engagement to attend breakfast at the guest of the directors of the fair of the Ellicott club. After being in care of the physician for a short time Governor Odell said he felt better.

SULTAN COMING TO HOHT US WITH 7,000,000 DAGGERS

NEW YORK, Sept. 11.—(Special.)—Michael Haller, a Greek jewelry peddler, announced this morning to a number of his countrymen that the sultan of Turkey was on his way to New York with 7,000,000 daggers. The sultan he said, would capture New York and annex the United States to Turkey. Policeman Wolden arrested Haller and took him to the Tombs police court. There Haller told Magistrate Crane that he was worth $7,000,000 and offered to give the magistrate a check for $8,000,000. He was committed to Bellevue for examination.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

The following marriage licenses were issued yesterday:

James J. Miller	Pittsburgh
Mazzerd V. Gray	Pittsburgh
Olga Bassel	Finleyville
Minnie C. Joyner	Pittsburgh
George E. Stewart	Pittsburgh
Julia Foley	Pittsburgh
Robert Wiggins	Sistersville
Annie J. Brown	Sistersville
Samuel Salzer	Pittsburgh
Minnie Silberman	Pittsburgh
Andre Rahall	Pittsburgh
Mary Pilger	Pittsburgh
John H. Burkey	Homestead
Mary Tuball	Millin, township

SOCIETY

"EVERYMAN," the fifteenth century morality play, will be produced in Carnegie Music hall October 5, under the auspices and for the benefit of the Pittsburgh and Allegheny Free Kindergarten association. The arrangements for presenting this unique play, which will be given by the original English company under the direction of Charles Frohman, were concluded at a meeting of the members of the board of the Kindergarten association held yesterday morning at the college in Fifth avenue, Oakland. "Everyman" is one of the most unique, artistic and literary plays of the season and will be given with all care and attention to the details of staging. Contrary to the usual manner of presenting a play the actors in "Everyman" enter the stage from the body of the house, where they are sitting until their turn comes to step on the boards. Very great success has been attributed to this old English drama in the cities where it has been presented, and it will come to Pittsburgh from San Francisco after a successful run in many eastern cities. The various committees which will have charge of the details of the benefit entertainment, have not yet been appointed, but a meeting will be held in a few days for that purpose.

While the public educational boards of Pittsburgh and Allegheny give appropriations for maintaining the free kindergartens in a large measure, the kindergarten college is supported almost entirely by voluntary contributions. It takes about $12,000 to maintain the college, and it becomes necessary sometimes to add to the fund for its support by a large benefit.

The college opens on Monday next with an informal reception at 3 o'clock. Dr. William L. McEwan will make the opening address. During the winter a series of 18 lectures will be given by Miss Susan E. Blow on psychology. Miss Sara Kilkelly also will give a series on history. Miss Louise Taylor on primary methods, and Miss Frances Olcott on children's literature. The dates for the lectures have not been set.

The faculty includes Miss Georgia Allison, superintendent; Miss Elizabeth Culp, principal; Miss Ruth Eleanor Tappan, literature; Miss Alice Snyder, psychology and voice culture; Miss Blanche Boardman, mother's department; Miss Mary E. Bakewell, occupation and games; Miss Mary E. Schweyer, science; Miss Gertrude E. Herd, English; Miss Ida Smith, arts, and Mrs. H. Talbott Peterson, physical culture. Miss Culp has just returned from a visit in Kentucky. Miss Allison is expected to return shortly from Europe, where she has been traveling with Mrs. W. W. Card. Mrs. Loesch and Miss Effie Rice, others of the teachers, went abroad early in the summer. They also are expected about September 15. Miss Mary Parmley will return with the Benjamin Thaws to resume her duties at the college.

A Notable Wedding.

The wedding of Miss Helen Thomas, sister of Miss M. Carey Thomas, president of Bryn Mawr college, and Dr. Simon Flexner of New York, will take place at the Deanery in Bryn Mawr at noon on Thursday next. The ceremony will be performed by the Very Rev. Nelson Cassard, a friend of the family. Miss Thomas has sent out invitations to a few friends for the breakfast which will follow the ceremony. The license for the marriage was issued yesterday in Philadelphia.

Dr. Flexner is widely known as the head of the Rockefeller institute for research, lately established in New York. His reputation as a pathologist and bacteriologist is world-wide. Recently he made a study of the bubonic plague and the liability of its introduction into this country on the Pacific coast. Upon this subject he is probably the foremost authority in the world today. His position is probably the most chief chair of science in this or any other country.

Held Annual Hay Ride.

The members of the Etude Social club of Lawrenceville, held their annual hay ride last evening, journeying to Hoboken where an enjoyable evening was spent in dancing. Miss Alberta Hopkins, Miss Nellie Naser, Miss Gertrude Berry, Miss Hattie Coleman, Miss Alice Shade, Miss Virginia Johnston, Miss Mabel Davis, Miss Grace Armstrong, Miss Elsie Hopkins, Miss Mamie Hefling, Miss Ruth Ormaston, Miss May Kiserbuy, Miss Bessie Dobren, Miss Mazie Thornton, Miss Clara Knoor, Miss Essie Coleman, Ralph Pearson, Howard Gwens, William McNulty, Ross Smith, Elmer Byrnes, J. Bell, John Crumbly, B. Mangan, Edward Shehan, Roy Croft, Felix Lilloquist, Robert Topping, Mark Cushing, Augustus Berger, John Meyers and C. Showers were in the party.

Wedding Guests Coming.

Mr. and Mrs. William Dinsdale Hawden of Chester le-street, Durham county, England, sailed yesterday for New York. They will come on to Pittsburgh, after a week's outing in Canada, to attend the wedding of Mr. Hawden's brother, Frederick Hawden, and Miss Henriette Kell. The latter for the wedding has been set for 5 o'clock in the Protestant Episcopal church of the Ascension. Miss Helen Kell will attend her sister as maid of honor, Leo Mc Shall, a relative of the bride groom, as best man. There will be six ushers, these not yet chosen. Mr. Hawden and his bride will make a very short tour in this country, sailing for England the latter part of October. They will make their home in Rugg Langley, 20 miles from London.

Entertained the Bridal Party.

Miss Elizabeth Gilmore of Center avenue entertained last evening in honor of Miss Anna Curll, whose wedding with L. Ralph Richards will be an event of next week. Miss Gilmore's entertainment took the form of a Buen shower, and was informally conducted. The guests numbered about 15, among them being the members of the bridal party, including Miss Carolyn Curll, who is to be maid of honor; Miss Mary Aiken and Miss Helen Wilson, of Clarion, who with the hostess are to be the bridesmaids. E. Harry Richards will be his brother's best man. Completing the bridal party will be Harry M. Curll, Frank Caskey, William Brewer and Edward Ellsworth, the ushers.

An Approaching Marriage.

Miss Louise J. Bates has issued invitations for the marriage of her niece, Miss Carolyn J. Bates, daughter of the late C. H. Bates, and Ernest D. Bailey, of Millbank. The wedding will take place on Wednesday evening next, at 8 o'clock at the residence of Miss Bates in South Latrobe. Reverend J. K. Wismer, pastor of the First Lutheran church of Latrobe, will officiate. Miss Florence Sales of Sioux City, cousin of the bride, will act as bridesmaid, and Harry Bates will be best man. A number of guests from Sioux City, Pittsburgh and Johnstown and other places will attend.

Will Sail Today.

The William Irwin, Mustins sail for home today after an extended tour of the continent and the British isles. Mr. and Mrs. Mustin and their family, including Burton Hill Mustin, Miss Eleanor Dorrington Mustin and Miss Agnes Mahon Mustin, sailed on the Cedric on June 10. While abroad they visited in London, Paris and Switzerland, stopping in Geneva, Berne, Interlaken and Lucerne, Munich, Vienna, Berlin, Rotterdam, Amsterdam and The Hague were their stopping places in Germany, Austria and the Netherlands. They were also in Ireland and sail today from Liverpool.

An Engagement in the East End.

The engagement of Harry R. Sines and Miss Jean Moore Littell, a prominent young couple of the East End, has been announced and will terminate in a wedding Thursday, September 17. They will take a trip to Cleveland and the lakes. Several dinners have been given in honor of the bride-elect, a miscellaneous shower at the home of Miss Grace Liberty, Wilkinsburg, taking place today. Mr. and Mrs. Sines will be at home after October 15 at No. 7340 Idlewild street, Homewood.

School Dance.

A very pretty dance occurred at the Edgewood Club last evening, given by Miss Alice McCague, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George R. McCague of Academy avenue, Sewickley. Those present included the school and college set of the valley, and it was in the nature of a farewell for the boys and girls who soon leave for their colleges. About 100 were present. The gowns of the young women were especially pretty.

Card Parties in Sewickley.

Two card parties were given yesterday, both of which were of the informal kind and very enjoyable. In the afternoon, Miss Margaret Shannon entertained at her home, "Glenfrew," in Edgeworth, the game being whist. About 25 were present. In the evening Miss Louise Smith of Bank street, Sewickley, entertained in honor of her guest, Miss Bessie Runyan of New York. Six hand euchre was played.

Wedding in New Castle.

Invitations have been issued by Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Thayer of Wallace avenue, New Castle, for the wedding of their daughter, Miss Ina W. Thayer and Cassius W. Morris of Milwaukee. The bridegroom, who is head chemist of a large manufacturing plant in Milwaukee, was reared in New Castle. The marriage will occur Tuesday evening, September 22.

Sewickley Alumni Association.

A meeting of the alumni of the Sewickley High school was held last night, and permanent officers were elected, as follows: President, Joseph Walters; vice president, Miss Myrtle Bowman; secretary, Browne Sharp; treasurer, Miss Nita McPherson. A committee is working on a constitution and by-laws.

Engagement Announced.

Mrs. Julia Rogaimer of Fayette street, Allegheny, has announced the engagement of her daughter, Miss Mary Rozalia Huber, and William Oppenheim, a Cherryville, Pa., merchant. The date for the wedding has not been made public.

Smith—Rummell.

A marriage of interest in New Castle last night was that of Jacob Rummel and Mrs. Nancy J. Smith, widow of Captain Samuel Smith. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Dr. H. S. Jordan, pastor of the First Presbyterian church.

Notes of Society.

Mr. and Mrs. John Houston and their son, John Kenneth Houston of Sewickley, have returned from Europe, where they spent the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Bentel of Elysian avenue have returned from Mackelton. Miss Pearl G. Bentel returns this week from a visit with friends in Fayette county.

Miss Verda Bell Dean, daughter of the proprietor of the Frederick Mineral Springs, and Ralph Wilkinson, machinist in Wellsville, O., were quietly married on September 7.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Skelly of Lincoln avenue, East End, and Mrs. Skelly's sister, are visiting her parents in Alexandria, Miss. The party will return via Duluth and the Great Lakes. As the hunting season opens in Duluth on September 15, a pleasant time is anticipated.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Abel of Denver, Col., former well-known residents of this city, who have been visiting their relatives and friends the last four weeks left for their western home on Thursday evening. During their visit they were guests of Mr. Abel's mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Abel in Clarke street.

Chloroformed Entire Family.

WABASH, IND., Sept. 11. Burglars early today chloroformed the entire family of Chris Harnish, farmer, living near Dora. They ransacked the house, securing considerable money and jewelry. As a result of the chloroform Miss Lulu Harnish, a daughter, is in a critical condition and the other members of the family are suffering from the effects of it.

THE DEATH ROLL

Mrs. Marcus A. Woodward.

Mrs. Anna Margaret Woodward, 56 years old, wife of Attorney Marcus A. Woodward, died yesterday morning at the family home, Fifth and Aiken avenues, East End. She had been suffering from kidney trouble for the last 10 weeks, and while a week and returned from Cape May, where she had gone in the hope of improving her health. Mr. Woodward and his son, Marcus A. Jr., were at the bedside when Mrs. Woodward died. Miss Anna Woodward, the famous artiste and daughter of Mrs. Woodward, is now on her way home, having been notified of her mother's illness while traveling in Ireland with a party of friends. She will not be able to reach Pittsburg in time to attend her mother's funeral. Mrs. Woodward was the daughter of Solomon Sunner, a former well-known Pittsburgh resident. She was a member of Calvary Protestant Episcopal church, East End, for the last 30 years. Besides her husband and children, Mrs. Woodward is survived by one brother, Dr. Philip A. Sunner of the Pittsburgh Free Hospital for Women. Funeral services will be held this afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

John Lennix.

John Lennix, 53 years old, a well-known Republican worker and former city employe, died Tuesday night at his home, No. 2216 Center avenue, of Bright's disease, after an illness of five months. Mr. Lennix was born in Pittsburgh and entered the city's service as a fireman on January 25, 1885. He served as captain of engine company No. 4, two terms in common council from the Thirteenth ward, one year as deputy sheriff under Sheriff William McKinley and police inspector of the 8th and district under John McAleese. He retired from the police department when Mayor William B. Hays took office. He is survived by his widow and three sons, David, Harry and James, all at home, and six brothers, who reside in Philadelphia. Mr. Lennix was a member of the Unitarian church. Funeral services will be held at his late home tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Mrs. William Reynolds Lyon.

Mrs. Florence F. Foote Lyons, wife of Dr. William Reynolds Lyons, and her infant daughter Catherine, died yesterday at the family home in Glenfield. Mrs. Lyons was born in West Newton, Pa., and was well known at that place. Funeral services will be held at the residence in Glenfield tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock, and the remains of the mother and daughter will be taken to West Newton for interment at 3 o'clock Monday afternoon.

Louis Sarver.

Louis Sarver, one of the oldest settlers in Wilkins township, died yesterday at noon at his home near Hannastown, where he lived for 60 years. He was formerly a foreman for the Duquesne Mining Company. He is survived by his widow and five children, Mrs. Rachel Brown, Matthew, John, Lewis, Jr., and Frank Sarver. He was a member of the Methodist church. Funeral services will be held this afternoon at his late home.

Mrs. Elizabeth Nouflet.

Mrs. Elizabeth Nouflet, 70 years old, widow of Jacob Nouflet, died yesterday morning at her home, Penn and Sixth streets, Sharpsburg, of old age. Mrs. Nouflet was born in Germany and came to this country 52 years ago, settling in O'Hara township. She was a member of St. Mary's Roman Catholic church, where funeral services will be held tomorrow afternoon at 4 o'clock. Four daughters survive.

Mrs. Benjamin M. Laughlin.

Mrs. Sarah M. McLaughlin, 74 years old, died of apoplexy yesterday morning at the home for Aged Protestant Couples, in Wilkinsburg. With her husband, Benjamin M., who is her only survivor, she had been an inmate of the home two years and seven months. She was born in Georgetown, Beaver county, and the remains will be taken there for interment.

Miss Ellen Taylor.

Miss Ellen Taylor, 54 years old, died of tuberculosis yesterday morning at her home in Brushton. She was born in Butler, Pa., and with her sister Amelia, her only relative, came to Pittsburgh seven years ago. The funeral will be held Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, and interment will be in Homewood cemetery.

Mrs. Emma Treese.

Mrs. Emma Treese, 50 years old, widow of Samuel K. Treese, died yesterday afternoon at the family home, No. 925 Braddock avenue, Braddock of nervous trouble. She was born in Ebensburg, Cambria county, Pa. Her husband died over a year ago. Four children survive, Mrs. Albert Bachofer, Miss Margaret and George and Harry, all of Braddock.

Obituary Notes.

William Murphy died yesterday at his home, in Duquesne, aged 54 years of age. On Labor day he suffered a stroke of paralysis. He was actively engaged in the grocery business up to the time of his death.

Thomas Harrison, 85 years old, the founder of Harrison township, is dead at his late home in Tarentum. Mr. Harrison came to Pittsburgh from Philadelphia with his family when a young man and settled on a farm on Grants hill. His widow, three sons and a daughter survive.

MOODY APPOINTS TWO ASSISTANT PAYMASTERS

WASHINGTON, Sept. 11.—(Special.)—Secretary Moody today made those designations for examination for appointment as assistant paymasters in the navy: Raymond F. Westfall, formerly fleet pay clerk U. S. N., Lima, Ohio; George B. Bloomer, West Virginia.

Women's Clubs

KINGSLEY House has practically closed Lillian Home, its summer place at Valencia. The last party of children with return from the city this morning, and though two or three small parties may be taken out, yet the work of the summer is practically concluded.

Lillian Home was opened June 17, and though the place was not yet in readiness for the reception of the children, 23 little people were taken there, the first large party, consisting of 60 children, going there June 20. Since then the place has been filled, some of the visitors remaining two weeks, others only one week, and some but a day or two. The parents and older brothers and sisters were permitted to visit the little ones for a day, and several families were taken there, recommended by Mrs. Lippincott, of the society for the improvement of the poor, by the Columbian Council school, members of Calvary Episcopal church, and the Pittsburgh and Allegheny Free Kindergarten association. All returned to the city greatly benefited by their stay in Valencia. The total number of visitors at Lillian Home follows:

Adults (mostly mothers) spending one week	22
Children spending two weeks	302
Adults spending two weeks	22
Children spending one week	150
Adults spending Sunday	31
Children spending Sunday	47
Adults spending one day	20
Children spending one day	354
Total	1,146

The summer work of Kingsley House at home in Fulton street, consisted of opening its grounds for a general playground for the children of the neighborhood, on June 22, and continuing it until the last week in August. The attendance, including the children and their parents, ranged from 250 to 400 a day, many of the older people accompanying their children to the playground. A large tent was erected and there were swings, hammocks and gymnastic apparatus. The grounds were open from 9 o'clock in the morning until dark. During the summer flowers were distributed to the children, many flowers coming from Valencia, and were gathered by the children who were taken to the Lillian home.

Another feature of the work this season, of Kingsley House was the opening of the new baths. These were opened in June and continued without interruption until the first of September. During that time 10,055 baths were given, as follows:

	Adults.	Boys.	Girls.	Total.
For June	1,000	1,000	1,000	3,000
For July	167	4,467	221	5,355
For August	210	4,195	214	4,617
Total				10,055

Kingsley House has been represented this season by three baseball teams, one of players 12 years of age, one of 16 years, and another of 20 years. Thirty-eight games were played, 28 of which were won.

The residents at Kingsley House are William H. Matthews, head worker; Mrs. William H. Matthews, Miss Mary R. Moore, Mr. and Mrs. William P. Hall, Mrs. H. G. Moore, Miss E. Stewart and J. H. Lotz.

Woman's Work.

The Woman's Foreign Missionary Society of the Methodist Episcopal church held a well-attended rally Wednesday afternoon at the Smithfield Street Methodist Episcopal church. Mrs. P. P. Davis of Allegheny presided and the devotional exercises were conducted by Miss Nonna Frederick, who is under appointment for the Ruthia mission field.

Addresses on the mission work in the Foo-Chow district of China were made by Miss Phoebe A. Parkinson and Miss Jean Adams. The former is connected with the woman's seminary at Foo-Chow and Miss Adams founded the society's industrial school at that point. The school teaches the native women fancy needlework, and Miss Adams had a display of this work on exhibition.

All Day Meeting.

An all-day quarterly meeting of the Presbyterian Home Mission Society of the Presbyterian church will be held at McDonald next Wednesday. In order to accommodate the women going from Pittsburgh, arrangements have been made for a special car on the train leaving the Union station at 9:20 o'clock, and a special rate of 50 cents for the round trip has been given. As it is an all-day meeting, the women are requested to bring luncheon.

Several teachers from the Home Mission and Freedmen's fields will attend the meeting and matters of more than ordinary importance to home mission workers are to be considered.

Lectures in Sewickley.

The lecture course which will be given in Sewickley this winter by the Young Men's Christian association of the valley will be opened on the evening of October 20. The course will be as follows: October 29, the Hawthorne Musical club, composed of five men; December 7, lecture by the Hon. J. P. Dolliver, Iowa's famous statesman and orator; February 25, the Gaillac concert company, composed of ladies; March 4, Wedelyan Male quartet; March 24, the Lincolns in an illustrated lecture.

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STEAM THRESHER WENT THROUGH BRIDGE

Boiler Exploded in Stream and One Man Was Injured Near Latrobe.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

LATROBE, PA., Sept. 11.—An accident resulting from the collapse of a township bridge, alleged to have been condemned some time ago, occurred last evening three miles south of Latrobe. John Wilt and his crew of harvesters were returning home on the traction engine attached to the thresher. The engine had reached the middle of the bridge, when without the slightest warning the entire structure fell with a crash into the stream, taking with it the engine and threshing machine, together with the engineer, fireman and several other men, who had no opportunity to jump.

Almost instantly the boiler exploded. John Wilt was scalded by the escaping steam, and also suffered numerous cuts and contusions. The engine and thresher were completely destroyed. Mr. Wilt says that he regards the escape of the men from serious injury as remarkable. The loss to Mr. Wilt will aggregate $2,200. He intends to enter suit against the township for damages.

When the bridge broke Silas Moses, who had a wooden leg, tried to jump, but fell and broke the wooden leg in two places.

TROLLEY GAP CLOSED.

Electric System Completed Throughout the Connellsville Coke Region.

CONNELLSVILLE, PA., Sept. 11.—(Special.)—It was announced at the general offices of the Pittsburgh, McKeesport & Connellsville Railway Company here today that the last gap in the coke region trolley system between Alverton and Hunker had been closed, and that on Sunday next Fairchance and Irwin would be connected by trolley.

The closing of this gap marks an important epoch in the building of the great coke region's electric railway system. The main portion of the system runs parallel with the southwest branch of the Pennsylvania railroad and with the exception of the Redstone railroad branch, touches every town along that road. In addition to the main line, branches run out from the most important towns along the trolley system. A number of the officials of the company expect to make the trip on the first car to make the through run.

The Pittsburgh, McKeesport & Connellsville system connects at Hunker with the Pittsburgh, McKeesport & Greensburg system.

CONTEST FOR DELEGATES TO GENERAL CONFERENCE

Lively Balloting at Erie Meeting of the Methodist Episcopal Church.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

WARREN, PA., Sept. 11.—At the session of the Erie conference this morning three delegates to the general conference, which meets in San Francisco next May, were elected. The Rev. Dr. H. G. Hall, presiding elder of the Jamestown district, and the Rev. Dr. A. C. Ellis of the First Methodist church of Erie were elected on the first ballot. On the second ballot the Rev. Dr. J. N. Fradenburg of Oil City, presiding elder of the Franklin district, was elected as the third member of the delegation which will represent this conference. There are yet two to be elected, the third and fourth ballot resulting in no choice, the balloting being adjourned until tomorrow. Dr. W. H. Crawford, president of Allegheny college, Meadville; Dr. J. Boyd Espy of Erie and Dr. A. R. Rich of DuBois are the candidates that are in the lead for the fourth and fifth choice.

The laymen of the conference also held an election this afternoon to select five delegates to the general conference. After an exciting contest and considerable political "wire pulling" the following were selected: George E. Colvin, Warren; C. C. Benscoter, Brookville; T. D. Collins, Nebraska; J. T. Snodgrass, Conneaut Lake, and E. D. Smith, Franklin.

Dr. W. C. Smith of the Pittsburgh Christian Advocate and President Arthur Staples of Beaver college addressed the conference briefly. The anniversary of the Women's Foreign Missionary society of the conference was observed, Miss Anna Gilmore, a returned missionary from India, being the principal speaker, followed by the Pentecostal service under direction of the Rev. Joseph H. Smith. This evening was the anniversary of the church extension society. Dr. T. L. Flood of Meadville presiding.

TO DINE ON A BIG FISH.

Allegheny Elks to Be Guests of North Side Fishermen.

Allegheny Lodge No. 339, B. P. O. Elks, will tonight dine at their club house on a 39-pound muscallonge captured in Lake Chautauqua last Wednesday by William Muehlbronner and Christian Kolb, and presented by them to the lodge.

The fish was captured after an exciting experience in which the skiff was partly capsized and Mr. Kolb fell overboard. The fish was on exhibition in the Allegheny market yesterday.

LETTER FROM MITCHELL HAS REACHED CLARION

Contents Will Not Be Given Out Until Investigating Committee Meets.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

CLARION, PA., Sept. 11.—The trustees of the normal school met this evening, but as there was not a quorum present, they adjourned to meet the first of next week. In the meantime it is likely that the investigating committee will meet, as ex-Senator James Mitchell's statement was received this evening by S. K. Clarke, secretary of the committee. What was embodied in the statement was not learned, as Mr. Clarke said it would not be made public before the committee met. But it is believed that the statement will be as expected, a complete denial by Mitchell. John S. Shirley, who is chairman of the committee, said this evening that he had not been apprised of the arrival of Senator Mitchell's statement, but if it was here, the committee would likely meet the first of the week.

It is also understood that Mr. Shirley and Mr. J. T. Rimer, both members of the investigating committee, will make a statement before the committee, as they were to have been present at the meeting of the board of trustees when the bill for $2,750 for repairs was put through.

EXPLOSION KILLS WOMAN; TWO OTHERS HURT

FAIRMOUNT, W. VA., Sept. 11.—(Special.)—A kerosene explosion last evening at Lorentz, Upshur county, killed Mrs. Charles West and fatally burned her husband. Their daughter, Minnie was seriously burned. Mrs. West attempted to light her kitchen fire with the aid of the oil, and the flames communicated to the ena.

Sentence Passed by Huntingdon.

HUNTINGDON, PA., Sept. 11.—(Special.)—At the conclusion of the September quarter session court today, Judge Bailey imposed these sentences: George Leeper, assault and robbery, five years in the Western penitentiary; John Leeper and Samuel Bell, implicated in same crime, three years each; George Smith and Martin Wilson, larceny, three and two years, respectively; Samuel Heddings, selling liquor without license, three month st njail; J. M. Hershey, assault and battery 60 days in jail. O. M. Brumbaugh, a Huntingdon merchant, charged with selling butter without a license, was convicted. This is the first case of the kind to be tried in this court.

Machine Company Assigns.

PAINESVILLE, O., Sept. 11.—A deed of assignment was filed here today by Raymond C. Penfield and the American Machine Company to the Cleveland Trust Company. The step is taken for the protection of creditors. No statement of liabilities or assets have yet been filed.

MINISTER BRUTALLY ATTACKED; DECLINES TO CAUSE AN ARREST

(Special Telegraph to The Gazette.)

COSHOCTON, O., Sept. 11.—The country in the vicinity of Birds Run is in a frenzy of excitement over an attack on the Rev. G. E. Clark, a Methodist minister of Kimbolton, who, with Miss Nichols, of Steubenville, is conducting a tented revival in a grove at Birds Run. Last night the meeting was frequently disturbed, it is alleged, by Charles Marlatt, who, with some companions, attended the meeting with whisky for refreshments.

Four times the Rev. Mr. Clark spoke to Marlatt, and the fifth time gently essayed to take him out of the tent. Marlatt turned on him at the edge of the tent and, it is said, dealt him a vicious blow over the head with a blackjack. The minister fell unconscious and a score of men rushed to his rescue. Marlatt escaped and the preacher declines to have him arrested, saying he is doing as Christ would do.

VETERANS TO UNITE.

One Organization for American Soldiers Who Fought in All Foreign Countries.

ALTOONA, PA., Sept. 11.—The first business before the convention of Philippine and China war veterans this morning was the ratification of the proposition of the Pittsburgh and Allegheny delegations to make eligible to membership all soldiers who have seen foreign service between 1898 and 1903, inclusive. This takes in Cuba and Porto Rico as well as the Philippines and China.

Allegheny was chosen as the place of meeting in September, 1904. A resolution to confer with the Pennsylvania army of the Philippines, with a view to uniting the two organizations in one, was passed. John Fengarden of Waynesburg, George Metzgar of Allegheny, and Maurice Weiss of Pittsburgh were appointed to carry on negotiations. A resolution favoring a Indies' auxiliary for the order was unanimously adopted.

These officers were elected: National commander, Robert S. Hansbury, Philadelphia; senior vice commander, Herbert O. Kelly, Altoona; junior vice commander, George Metzgar, Allegheny; chaplain, John Longshaw, Philadelphia. The commander announced the members of his staff as follows: Adjutant, Thomas J. Bonniwell, Philadelphia; quartermaster, Daniel S. Bassett, Philadelphia; judge advocate, John Teagardner, Waynesburg; historian, C. E. Knighton, Altoona; bugler, Alfred Weand, Pittsburgh; color bearer, Sherman Craig, Pittsburgh; drummer, Thomas G. Scott, Philadelphia.

STATE AND NEIGHBORHOOD.

YOUNGSTOWN, O.—The Youngstown Baking Company made an assignment, naming Emil J. Anderson as assignee. The company has $23,000 indebtedness and $38,000 assets.

PARKERSBURG, W. VA.—Morgan Mathews, a lineman employed by the electric light company, touched a live wire at the top of a pole and was thrown to the ground and instantly killed.

GREENVILLE, PA.—The residence of Frank Granger was destroyed by fire. For some time past he has been writing a book on psychic phenomena. The manuscript was destroyed and the professor places its loss at $10,000.

OIL CITY, PA.—George Smith, a Pennsylvania railroad engineer, died at the hospital here from injuries received in a work train wreck near Tionesta. He was 31 years old and only recently promoted to the position as engineer.

UNIONTOWN—Suicide was attempted by Mrs. Josephine Genett, aged 38, of Trotter, who threw herself in front of a moving car in Uniontown. The car stopped her and she did not get under the wheels, though her injuries are serious.

FAIRMONT, W. VA.—Alvin Copp, 18 years old, son of John Copp of this place, was drowned in the Monongahela river here. While bathing with a party of comrades he was attacked with cramps and sank before assistance could reach him. The body was recovered.

GREENVILLE, PA.—Harold Umbord, a prisoner in the county jail, has brought suit against the commissioners of Mercer county for $200 for nursing Bert Hoadley, a fellow prisoner, through a case of measles, which developed shortly after he was in jail from Sharon.

GREENVILLE, PA.—Fred Berts was perhaps fatally injured while trying to repair a revolver from which he failed to extract the cartridges. A bullet went through his cheek, shattering the jawbone and forcing out one eye.

WARREN, O.—Thomas L. Hopkinson, a letter carrier of Massillon, O., is charged with having robbed the mail. Before United States Commissioners Gilpner he pleaded not guilty to taking $5 from a letter addressed to Mrs. J. H. Sunday of Navarre. He was held for court in the sum of $500.

WOOSTER, O.—Warren Ramey, an ex-county commissioner, furnished an $800 bond here on an indictment which charges that he became interested in a contract for property for the use of the county while an officer of the county. The offense is alleged to have occurred in the purchase of iron bridges.

Married at Steubenville.

STEUBENVILLE, O., Sept. 11.—(Special.)—Dr. Joseph E. Fauk, a dentist, and Catherine Porschman of Swissvale; Frank J. Barry and Charlotte M. Breeze of Hoizdale, George Temple and Rosella R. Schumann and William Finch and Ruth May Martin of Pittsburgh; John A. Lucas and Elsie A. Akin of Salina, Pa.; John H. Sampson and Bessie P. Watson and Charles C. Kuhns and Mattie Carrin of Pittsburgh, were granted licenses and married here.

FAMILY FEUD RESULTS IN A FATAL SHOOTING

Dying Man Makes Accusation Against Alleged Assailant Who Is Arrested.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

CONNELLSVILLE, PA., Sept. 11.—A bitter family feud between the Turner and Swaney families resulted last night in the fatal shooting at Haydentown, this county, of William Turner. It is alleged, by James Swaney. The residents of the quiet mountain town were awakened by the noise of pistol shots. Rushing out of their homes they found Turner lying in the road suffering from a mortal wound in the abdomen. The wounded man said Swaney shot him.

Nearly all in the community are related and are divided on account of the feud, which has existed upwards of half a century. Many tragedies have occurred in the vicinity on account of the feud. Charles Swaney, a son of the man accused of the shooting, keeps a store at Haydentown. He was convicted at this term of court for selling liquor without a license. Turner was summoned to court as a witness against him. When he returned home from the court Swaney, it is said, unprovoked him for the interest he took in the case, and this caused a quarrel, in which Turner was shot.

County Detective Alexander McBeth last night took down Turner's dying statement, and Deputy Sheriff John A. Ultman, after a long chase in the mountains, captured Swaney and lodged him in jail. The prisoner denies the charge made against him by the dying man.

MONONGAHELA TO HAVE A MAGNIFICENT HOTEL

MONONGAHELA, PA., Sept. 11.—(Special.)—What it is declared will be the finest hotel in the Monongahela valley will soon stand on the ground occupied by H. C. Sutman's bakery in Second street. J. P. Mulvihill, who owns the Monongahela house, has acquired the property by a lease. Plans for the new hotel, which have been nearly completed by F. P. Keller, architect, will be in the contractor's hands next week. The structure will be of brick and will contain five stories. The interior will be finished in colonial style.

Excursion to Cumberland Sunday, September 13th, Via Baltimore & Ohio Railroad.

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Inspections Are Near at Hand on the Railroads Reaching This City

Inspection time on the railroads through Pittsburgh is approaching, and great efforts are being made to bring the condition of tracks and stations to the highest degree of perfection. The two large Pennsylvania railroad inspections will take place next month. The general manager's inspection will precede the inspection by the president and board of directors. J. W. Richards, chief engineer of maintenance of way of the Pennsylvania railroad, is now making preparations for the former inspection. The work has been kept in good shape this year by the monthly trip of Mr. Richards and the other maintenance of way men on the committee named for the purpose. It is believed that the entire system will make a better showing this year than ever before.

Cash prizes of amounts large enough to be well worth obtaining are awarded by the Pennsylvania. These prizes are given on the results of the general manager's inspection when the various members of the party take notes and award the honors according to the agreement on the best alignment, surfacing, etc.

The engineering department of the Pittsburgh & Lake Erie will start its annual fall inspection tour Monday. Those in the party will be Chief Engineer J. A. Atwood, Assistant Chief Engineer A. R. Raymer and E. F. Went, assistant engineer; G. H. Soles, superintendent of bridges and buildings, and A. Lucius, consulting engineer, New York.

On Monday the main line from Pittsburgh to Youngstown will be inspected. The Pittsburgh, McKeesport & Youghiogheny will be seen on Tuesday. Careful attention will be paid to the condition of the road as well as to the new work which is now going forward.

No announcements of the Baltimore & Ohio's inspections have yet been made. They are expected at any time.

WESTERN LINES PROSPER.

Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul and Santa Fe Increased Their Earnings.

The annual report of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul, given out yesterday, shows:

Gross earnings $47,062,728, increase $2,049,-603; operating expenses including taxes and renewal and improvement account, $31,598,174; net earnings, $15,464,563, increase $848,334; balance for dividends after payment of fixed charges $10,479,250, increase $803,801; balances after paying of dividends $2,817,584, increase $489,287.

The annual report of the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe shows:

Gross earnings, $62,350,397; other income, $1,317,936; total, $63,668,300; increase, $3,-892,440. Operating expenses, including taxes, rentals, etc., $49,855,070, increase, $4,361,141; net income, $13,806,329; decrease, $1,666,197. After payment of $5,786,910 for dividends, the writing off of $3,699,000 betterments, improvements, equipment and discount on bonds and an appropriation of $285,174 to the fuel reserve fund, there remained a surplus of $826,245 credited to profit account. The report sets forth that the company had in its treasury on June 30, cash to the amount of $10,969,787, and securities of the estimated cash value of $5,-089,712.

COME VIA PITTSBURGH.

"Zion's Restoration Host" Travel in Eight Trains for New York.

Having been granted a rate of one and one-third fares for the round trip, the "restoration host" from Zion City will now move upon New York and through Pittsburgh will come at least one trainload of the followers of Dowie.

There are to be eight special trains for the Zionists on this trip. The agents for the Vanderbilt Chicago-New York lines pestered the prophet so much that he finally promised to give just one train to each of the eight roads—the Pennsylvania, Baltimore & Ohio, Erie, Grand Trunk, Michigan Central, Wabash, Lake Shore and Nickel Plate.

The handling of the hosts by the railroads has been arranged in a most businesslike way. After formally granting the reduced rate the various lines prepared a schedule allowing the trains to leave at half-hour intervals from Zion City on the morning of October 14 and arrive in New York on the morning of October 16.

The Pennsylvania train will, of course, come via Pittsburgh. The Baltimore & Ohio from this come this way or go by way of Newark, O.

PREPARING FOR FAIR.

Passenger Officials to Meet in St. Louis on Tuesday.

One of the most important passenger meetings affecting the coming world's fair at St. Louis is to be held in that city on Tuesday next, and a call has been sent for the passenger chiefs of all the lines that reach St. Louis to attend. The committee appointed to investigate the establishment of a joint ticket office and bureau of railroad information on the fair ground to report a plan, embodying the whole idea. The office will be located in the transportation building. Chas. Hillcary, Biz Fourth, Chas. M. Heselfrugh, Vandalia, and C. S. Crane, Wabash, constitute this committee. The establishment of a joint validating office at the Union station will also be discussed. From this office it is expected to prevent the rush on the regular ticket windows. The return portions of all special or reduced rate tickets requiring validation will be cared for in the special office.

Rates for the big fair have as yet received little attention. The railroads say that the action regarding brokers by the courts will have much to do with the low rates. Suits are now pending, and it is the intention to shut the ticket scalpers entirely out of handling the world's fair reduced railroad tickets.

Still Room for the Wabash.

The information comes from Philadelphia that the water front of the Delaware river all the way from Philadelphia to Wilmington has been purchased by the Pennsylvania and that the Wabash railroad cannot therefore obtain wharf facilities. It is entirely possible for one railroad to condemn the unused property of another railroad, and unless the Pennsylvania makes actual use of all this frontage, which is far more than it needs, it will be easy for the Wabash to take such action in the courts as may be needful to obtain its wharf facilities.

Coal and Coke Movement Larger.

Shipments of coal and coke originating on the Pennsylvania lines east of Pittsburgh and Erie for the year to September 5 show an increase of 10 per cent over last year. The shipments for the year to September 5 have been 28,604,183 tons, an increase of 2,702,547. A large volume of business is now moving. The anthracite hauled in the week amounted to 72,008 tons; the bituminous coal to 358,970, and the coke to 186,-447. The total coal and coke tonnage for the week was 818,415.

New Ohio Line for B. & O.

The Baltimore & Ohio is said to be planning a new road in Summit county, Ohio. The new line is to tap coal in the Massillon district. It will be an extension of the Cottage Grove road, which starts from Krumroy, on the Valley Junction, Canton & Akron line, and runs up to the lake. The new line will start from the end of the Cottage Grove line and extend a number of miles into the coal fields around Massillon.

Railroad Notes.

The Kanawha Dispatch and the Norfolk & Western railroads have classified whisky in any quantity as fourth class. Heretofore in carload lots it has been third class, and in less than carload lots second class.

C. S. Wright, manager of freight traffic of the Baltimore & Ohio, sailed yesterday on a month's vacation trip to be spent in Europe. President Loree of the same company is expected back in a couple of weeks.

The Baltimore & Ohio plans to develop the use of the tunnels to a larger extent than customary heretofore in the engineering work of the road. The organization of a photographic department has been intrusted to W. E. Lowes.

Robert J. Gross, second vice president of the American Locomotive Company, has just returned from his trip around the world in the interest of his company. He left Dunkirk, N. Y., late in February and sailed from San Francisco. He visited the Philippines, Japan, Korea, Siam, China, Russia, Norway, Sweden, Germany, France and England. The Pittsburgh works of this company has built many engines for foreign use, and it is not unlikely that this trip will result in still more being ordered from here.

No one needs to be told to try to cure a cough. But any one will be glad to be told of a means of cure which will be thorough and lasting. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery is a medicine which can be confidently relied on to cure diseases of the organs of respiration. It cures obstinate, deep-seated coughs, bronchitis and bleeding of the lungs. It cures when nothing else will cure, and the local physician says: "There is nothing more that we can do."

There is no alcohol in "Golden Medical Discovery," and it is absolutely free from opium, cocaine and all other narcotics.

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"Two years ago a severe cough started on me and I was also bothered with catarrh," writes Mr. F. Skjod, of Damewood, Chisago Co., Minn. "I could not sleep nights, as the cough was worse at night. I tried several cough medicines but to no avail, until a year ago, when I got so bad I could not breathe through my nose at times. I then tried Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. After taking eight bottles of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, and at the same time using Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy, I am a well man. I can thank Dr. Pierce for my good health, and will recommend his medicines to any one suffering from the same trouble."

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OUR OPENING SALE of Men's Fall Suits and Topcoats starts today. The importance of this announcement will be recognized by every man in Pittsburgh who appreciates correct dress—at right prices.

These Facts Make Our Clothes Famous.

The Cloths Will Outwear Your Money's Worth.
The Colors Will Not Fade From Exposure.
The "Set" of the Garments Will Stay With Them.
The Skilled Tailoring Gives a Superior Finish.
The Styles Are Correct in Every Detail of Design.
The Prices Are as Low as Possible for Honest Clothing.

Men's Stylish Fall Suits. The popular choice of styles at popular price. These suits are designed to show how well a moderate priced suit can be tailored and what dependable fabrics can be sold at this figure. Correct single or double-breasted sack styles in a large range of dressy materials, such as fancy cheviots, cassimeres and worsteds, also plain blues or black. See them and you will say they are the best styles in town at..... $10.00

A showing of Dressy Fall Topcoats specially priced at $7.50 and $10.

Men's Correctly Tailored Suits. A wide range of smart appealing suits in such desirable fabrics as the latest fancy woolens in blues, browns, greys, black and wide overplaids, etc., also solid tones for those who prefer them. Tailored in correct single or double-breasted sack styles with every detail which is carefully looked to by the custom tailors. Suits which commend themselves to best dressers at moderate price of..... $12.50

A showing of exceedingly Stylish Fall Topcoats also priced at the popular figure of $12.50.

Men's High-Grade Suits. Note the careful tailoring of these suits — the broad shoulders and graceful hang of the coat, the wide hips and the correctly shaped legs on the trousers. Every detail of up-to-date fashion is carried out to the letter. The fabrics include the latest oxford and brown mixtures, black-and-white effects, blue and black mach cheviots, exclusive unfinished worsteds—in fact, all the fashionable woolens of the season. Priced from $15 to..... $35.00

Highest Grade Topcoats at prices ranging from $15 up to $25.

Correct Fall Hats.

We are hatters for the most particular dressers of Pittsburgh. The man who wants a fine hat does not have to pay an excessive price—we prove this with the "Roelof" derby at $4—it is the equal of any exclusive hatter's $5 hat.

Our "Top Notch" Derby is a popular leader at a popular price. It comes in the new English browns and black. Priced at..... $3.00

Our "Ben Hur" Derby has been for the past eight seasons, and it is yet the best value in town at..... $1.98

Our "Bellance" Soft Hat. A hat that is well made—it can be relied on as being a winner in the soft hat class. A style that is distinctively dressy, new and becoming to the great majority of men. Made of the best fur felt in the latest shades of pearl, tan, brown and black. Priced below all competition in three grades, at

$1.98, $2.48 and $3

Children's Fall Sailors, made of velvets, cloths, plushes, beaver or patent leathers. All the new shapes priced from

$1.00 up to $4.50

Boys' Norfolk Caps to match the new Fall Suits at..... 48c

Opening Sale of Boys' and Young Men's Clothing

This is the first sale of the season. We start today because our stocks are ready—every detail, with hundreds and hundreds of styles, every one of them quite new and becoming. Each garment bears the stamp of merit given by careful tailoring and perfect trimming. Do not miss this Opening Sale if you want genuine bargains at the first of the season. Our young men's section is making a special showing of cleverly tailored garments in dashing styles, such as are desired by the smart young dressers from 14 to 19 years of age. Every prospective buyer of boys' clothing should see this display before making their purchases.

Boys' Knee Pants, made of cassimeres and cheviots in fancy colorings or plain blue. These have double knees and seats, taped seams. Ages 2 to 16. Opening Sale Price..... 50c

Boys' School Suits, made of the latest fancy materials, in double-breasted, regular Norfolk, sailor-Norfolk or sailor styles. Strongly sewed and well trimmed suits in ages 3 to 16, at the Opening Sale Price of..... $1.95

Boys' Suits for dress or school wear, in ages 2½ to 16 years. Made of latest fancy or plain materials, in double-breasted, Norfolk or sailor styles. Very special Opening Sale Price..... $2.48

Boys' Russian Blouse Suits, in the latest fall styles. Made of velvet or serges, in royal or navy blue and tastily trimmed fancily. Sizes 2 to 4 years. Take your choice at the Opening Sale Offer of..... $4.48

Young Men's Suits. Very dressy suits, in single or double-breasted styles. Made of all the newest materials, in the latest fall shades and black. Well tailored suits in ages 14 to 19 at the Opening Sale Price of..... $6.50

Young Men's Topcoats of coverts or black tibets, serge lined and well tailored. Ages 16 to 20. Extraordinary Inducement at Opening Sale Price of..... $7.50

Write for our Complete Catalogue of boys' and youths' Clothing—A Book of Correct Fashions.

Boys' Sailor Blouse Suits, in all the newest shades of Scotch mixtures, serges and velvets. Sizes 3 to 8 years. Extra special at the Opening Sale Price of..... $4.90

Boys' Double-Breasted Suits of brown mixtures, cheviots and plain blue serges and clays. Well made in every detail and neat patterns, lined with wool serge. Opening Sale Price..... $3.90

Boys' Suits, made of the best all-wool cheviots and cassimeres that American and foreign woolen mills can produce. Either Norfolk, sailor-Norfolk or double-breasted styles. Ages 2½ to 16 years. Opening Sale Price..... $5.00

Young Men's Suits of the newest brown or grey mixtures, in single or double-breasted styles. With broad-padded lapels and collars, finished with hand-worked buttonholes and cut with form fronts and broad shoulders. Pants have full bloom and are deeply stacked at bottom. Ages 14 to 19. Opening Sale Price..... $9.50

Young Men's Trousers of striped worsteds, cassimeres and Scotch cheviots, in all the latest fall styles, 27 to 32 inches. Take your choice at Fall Opening Sale Offer of..... $2.00

Young Men's Raincoats of oxford, black or tan gravenette, 42 to 54 inch lengths. Some are finished with belts in back. Coats which you can also use for fall wear, in ages 15 to 19 at Opening Sale Price of..... $10.00

The very dressiest of Young Men's College, School and Dress Suits priced from $15.00 up to $25.

Men's Autumn Scarfs.

Exclusive Effects—

This showing includes the new gun metal greys, with jacquard figures in self colorings and the novel white lace patterns. Also beautiful Persian, Bargello and Dresden effects in swivel figures. Another novelty is the Tartan, a design strikingly new, in fact, all the latest ideas from the looms of foreign looms are now on display in exclusive lines here. This selection cannot help but suit all tastes at..... 50c

Fancy Dress Shirts.

The new bosom shirts are here in the largest display ever made in this city, which shows all the chosen styles of the season. The materials are woven or printed in the most effective colorings. The new grounds are pearl, grey, slate, blue and even colors, and the patterns are figured or striped. Among the high grade novelties shown are the woven figured effects in very clever ideas. These higher-class shirts are equal to custom made garments, but the prices are within the reach of everybody. Our introductory Sale starts today at

$1, $1.50, $2 and $2.50.

CITY IS TO HAVE ITS SHARE IN CONTROL OF CARNEGIE'S PROPOSED TECHNICAL SCHOOL

Municipality Is to Be Allowed to Name Nine of the Thirty-Six Members of the Board of Trustees.

CURRICULUM GIVEN IN DETAIL

The municipality is to have nine of the 36 members of the board of trustees that will control the school of technology offered to the city by Andrew Carnegie.

This was decided at a meeting of the board of trustees of the Carnegie Institute yesterday. President W. N. Frew explained that the trustees of the Carnegie Library and the trustees of the Carnegie Institute shall be members of the board controlling the school.

The meeting was called yesterday to comply with the request of President Charles Crawford of common council that the latter body be informed of the character and scope of the proposed new technological school. In addition, councils asked that it be stipulated specifically what voice the city would have in the management of the school.

In this connection, section 2 of the ordinance when grants to the board the Penn-Magee site on which to erect the school, had been amended to read:

This ordinance shall not take effect until the said trustees shall have filed with the city of Pittsburgh a statement as stipulation acceptable to the mayor and councils of said city setting forth generally the nature and character of the institution that is to use and occupy said premises, and setting forth particularly in what manner and how the said city of Pittsburgh shall have a voice in the management of said institution, which statement shall be filed with the city clerk and recorded in the ordinance book in his office.

This made necessary the formality of sending to councils the printed statement demanded in the amendment. A resolution was passed that a statement prepared by Samuel Harden Church, which was read and approved, be messaged to councils at once that it may be considered at the meeting of the common branch on Monday night next. It is hoped that at that time action will be promptly taken and that the ordinance giving the Penn-Magee site for the use of the proposed school will become immediately effective.

The statement, which is given in full, contains some interesting letters from Mr. Carnegie and furnishes in details the proposed scope of the school, as follows:

The Statement to Councils.

On November 15, 1900, Mr. Andrew Carnegie in a communication to the Hon. William J. Diehl, mayor of the city of Pittsburgh, said:

"I believe that a first-class technical school, probably as large as Worcester, would develop latent resources to such an extent as to surprise the most sanguine. If the city of Pittsburgh will furnish a site, which I hope will be of ample size for future additions, I shall be delighted to provide the money for such a school. Taking care to provide room for additions to the buildings to meet the certain growth of Pittsburgh, I would invite with $1,000,000 5 per cent gold bonds, yielding a revenue of $50,000 per year.

(Note—This endowment has since been increased to $2,500,000.)

On December 10, 1900, Mr. Carnegie wrote as follows:

"W. N. Frew, Esq., President Board of Trustees Carnegie Institute:

"Dear Sir—Since the time since the technical school commission glad indeed that I am privileged to do this, after having received assurance that your board was willing to undertake the great responsibility involved."

On the receipt of this letter the board of trustees of the Carnegie Institute, adopted the following:

"Resolved, That the board of trustees does hereby accept the charge of the new technical school referred to in the foregoing correspondence and the secretary is requested to inform Mr. Carnegie to that effect.

"Resolved further, That the president and secretary be requested to send to the mayor of Pittsburgh a certified copy of the letter from Mr. Carnegie to Mr. Frew, dated December 15, 1900, placing the new technical school in charge of the board."

On February 6, 1899, in a communication addressed to the "Mayor and Councils of Pittsburgh," Mr. Carnegie in an ordinance recorded in Ordinance Book Vol. 7, page 265, Mr. Carnegie later also says:

Control of the School.

"I propose that their location, erection and management (fostering to the main and branch buildings of the Carnegie library now in Pittsburgh) shall be entrusted to a board of trustees composed, ex-officio of the mayor, the president of select and common councils, the president of the Central board of education and a third committee of five appointed by the councils. To these I should add the names of 12 well-known citizens of Allegheny county."

Under date of May 6, 1890, Mr. Carnegie wrote as follows:

"John S. Tarable, Esq., Chairman, Pittsburgh, Pa.:

"Dear Sir—Three citizens, members of the library commission, having resigned, nine only remain. As the city has nine official representatives upon the commission, equality of representation will be secured by leaving unfilled the places of the three resigning members, and this will be done."

Article I of the constitution of the trustees of the Carnegie Institute, adopted in accordance with the terms and provisions of a deed of trust creating such board, executed by Andrew Carnegie on the 24 day of March, 1896, provides as follows:

"The affairs of this body, created by appointment of Andrew Carnegie, of the trustees of the Carnegie Institute. It is composed of the following named persons: Dr. W. J. Holland, John A. Brashear, Prof. Gustave Out, the Rev. A. A. Lambing, D. D., the Rev. John W. Beatty, Joseph R. Woodwell, A. M. Will, Samuel H. Church, C. C. Mellor, John Caldwell, William M. Kennedy, Jr., Andrew Carnegie, Albert J. Barr, Josiah Cohen, E. M. Bigelow, Henry Phipps, Jr., T. M. Gerrydle and Jeffrey, the board of trustees of the Carnegie Library of Pittsburgh, as held board 1900. From time to time changed."

Committee on Scope.

On December 17, 1900, at a meeting of the board of trustees of the Carnegie Institute, a committee of five members of the board was created, known as the committee on plan and scope of the educational organization, to examine the subject of schools of technology and report to the board at an early day. On February 10, 1903, this committee submitted a report to the board, containing their recommendations in detail, and the report was approved by the board. It has since been printed for Mr. Carnegie.

It is the desire of Mr. Carnegie and of the board of trustees to modify and enlarge the above scope of these technical schools from time to time, as the growing needs of the city of Pittsburgh require.

In summarizing their suggestions the committee said:

"We have therefore prepared courses of instruction to do the following things:

"First—Courses that will impart skill and intelligence to young men so as to increase their earning capacity, lift their standard of living from the unskilled to the skilled and raise them morally to a higher level.

"Second—Courses that will give to those of greater intelligence and natural ability a more thorough course, fitting them after proper experience, to direct the skilled laborer and to fill the great class of middle positions below the engineer and general manager, but above the skilled mechanic.

"Third—Courses that will serve to young men and young women who have some taste and ability for art, a training in the application of art principles to enable them to turn such talents to the best advantage."

Opportunities for Women.

Fourth—Courses that seek to give to the constantly increasing number of women who must earn a living by their own labor the same opportunity that is given to men to increase their skill, their technical knowledge and their judgment and intelligence, and thus fit their work to a higher standard, increase their efficiency for employment and broaden their field of usefulness.

"The committee recommends that the Carnegie technical school shall be sub-divided as follows:

1—School of science and technology (for young men).

2—School for mechanics and artisans (for young men).

3—School of fine and applied arts (for both sexes).

4—Women's industrial school (for young women).

5—Technical school of applied mechanics.

Day courses—Three years, nine months each, entrance age, 16 years or over.

1—Steel manufacture and machinery.
2—Structural steel design and construction.
3—Applied electricity.
4—Power generation and transmission.
5—Glass, ceramics and clay working.
6—Gas manufacture and petroleum products.

Night courses—Two or three years, six months each, 3 nights a week:

1—Mechanical drawing and machine design.
2—Architectural drawing and design.
3—Bridge and structural steel, drawing and design.
4—Applied chemistry.
5—Applied electricity.
6—Steam engineering.
7—Practical mechanics.
8—Strength of material and building construction.

School for mechanics and artisans.

To Teach Trades.

Day trade classes, six months each, eight hours each day; age of entrance, 18 to 25.

1—Machine forging and blacksmithing.
2—Pattern making.
3—Molding and foundry work.
4—Machinist work.
5—Plumbing.
6—Electric wiring.
7—Masonry and bricklaying and fireproofing.
8—Carpentry and cottage building.
9—House, sign and fresco painting.

Night classes, two years, six months each, three times a week:

1—Mechanical work.
2—Foundry work.
3—Pattern making.
4—Blacksmithing and forging.
5—Furnace and masonry and lining.
6—Pattern making for structural steel.
7—Sheet metal working.
8—Steel erecting and cornice work.
9—Plumbing work.
10—Masonry and bricklaying.
11—Electric wiring.
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PURE FOOD SHAKE-UP.

Dr. Warren Anxious to Make a Change in Pittsburgh as Soon as Possible.

HARRISBURG, Sept. 11.—(Special.)—The promised shakeup in the state dairy and food bureau was started today by the dismissal of P. E. Shields, a Philadelphia agent, and the appointment in his place of George P. L. Smith. Other changes in the Philadelphia force of agents will be made as soon as Insurance Commissioner Durham returns from Europe and Commissioner Warren has an opportunity to consult him.

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NEGLECTING THEIR DUTY.

Secretary of the State Game Commission Criticises Inefficiency of Constabulary.

HARRISBURG, Sept. 11.—(Special.)—"Most of the constables are not worth their salt" said Dr. Joseph Kalbfus, secretary of the game commission today. "While under the law of 1895 they are directed to act as deputy fish and game wardens they make no effort to discharge their duties."

Dr. Kalbfus has just received reports from Clinton county of a number of instances where deer have been run down by dogs and he expects to make a number of arrests shortly. He has had copies of the law of 1895 printed and will send them to every constable and justice of the peace.

Father Bush Critically Ill.

The Rev. Father E. A. Bush, formerly rector of St. Peter's Roman Catholic church, Allegheny, and vicar-general of the Pittsburgh diocese, is reported to be in a critical condition from paralysis in Rome, where he went some months ago. It is said he will be impossible to bring Father Bush back to the United States, as he has wished. Father Bush served as pastor of a number of large churches in the central and western parts of Pennsylvania, and as a professor in St. Francis college at Loretto, Pa. He was twice a candidate for episcopal honors.

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We operate an "Open Shop." We do not discriminate against union labor, nor do we permit the non-union mechanic to be coerced. Good place for the independent man of ability. We have the best shops in this country—best tools, best lines of workmanship, most steady employment. We pay hourly wage rates as high as any other shops in this district in which is probably the highest paid district in the United States. Our hourly wage rate varies from 37½ cents per hour down to 21½ cents per hour, to be individually adjusted according to each man's ability. For certain larger machine tools we pay even higher hourly rates.

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Apply in person at the works of the Westinghouse Machine Company, East Pittsburgh, Pa.

MAN with references for commercial traveler, to call on merchants and agents; experience not required; salary $24 per week, with expenses advanced. National, 6th Dearborn st., Chicago.

MAN or women capable of managing first-class restaurant. Address D 88, The Gazette.

MANUFACTURER wants reliable man to deliver and collect; horse and wagon and $150 deposit necessary; $21 a week and expenses; permanent. Franklin, box 78, Philadelphia, Pa.

MEN—Young, to learn telegraphy, day or evening, for railroad positions. Pennsylvania Telegraph College, Lewis block.

MINERS—25, with tools; steady work; union wages. Apply Norris Mining & Manufacturing Co., 207 House building.

OPERATORS—Custom coat operators; electric power. 347 Liberty ave., third floor.

PAPER HANGERS AND DECORATORS—Good class. Slaughter Decorating Co.

SAWYERS—Several sawyers and box makers; must be experienced. F. J. Dyer Box Co., 2329 Liberty ave.

SOLICITORS—Six bright young men as solicitors on a daily newspaper. Apply at The Gazette Classified Advertising Department.

Wanted Salesmen—3 experienced drapery and curtain salesmen, must have good references.

Apply at Superintendent's office.

KAUFMANN'S.

WANTED—For the U. S. Marine Corps—Able-bodied, unmarried men, between 21 and 35, of good character, temperate habits, speaking English; marines serve at sea on ships-of-war in all parts of the world, on land in our island possessions, and at naval stations in the United States. Apply Recruiting Officer, rooms 414-415, City Postoffice building.

WANTED—Carpet salesmen, familiar with city trade and able to give good reference as to ability, etc.; good openings for good men. Apply to Greenfinger Carpet Co., 627-629 Penn ave., Pittsburgh.

WANTED—Five punch tumbler blowers, gatherers and others to work on an open shop near Pittsburgh; highest wages; fare advanced. Apply room 416, 231 Fourth ave.

WANTED—A salesman of good address and education, capable of doing himself for field manager's position. Address, with reference, Wholesale B 88, The Gazette.

WANTED—Salesmen acquainted with the retail liquor trade to sell "Hayes-Rayer" Rye, a new brand, on the Continental in his place of George P. L. Smith. Other changes in the Philadelphia force of agents will be made as soon as Insurance Commissioner Durham returns from Europe and Commissioner Warren has an opportunity to consult him.

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WANTED—Filing clerk to operate vertical system, salary $50.00 per month; state reference. Address E 88, The Gazette.

WANTED—Waiter; must be experienced. 36 Diamond square, Pittsburgh.

WANTED—Finishers and operators in rear of 216 Diamond st.

WAITER—Experienced waiter in a lunch room. 36 Diamond square, Pittsburgh.

YOUNG man for office work; must be good at figures; salary $50 per month. Address N 88, The Gazette.

YOUNG MAN familiar with rough carpenter-ing and general repair work. Inquire 211 Wood street.

Female Help.

DRESSMAKERS—Two good, fast finished vestmg; also coat maker. Top floor, 826 Federal st., Allegheny.

GIRL for general housework; references required, small family, good wages. Mrs. J. L. Reed, Marshall and Linwood, Allegheny.

GIRL—Reliable, for general housework; must be a good cook; three in family; good wages. Call 6845 Thomas st., cor. Dallas, E. E.

GIRL for general housework, one of family. 7322 South Negley ave.

GIRL—For upstairs work in boarding house. 160 Second ave.

GIRL—A good, experienced dinner girl. 122 Fourth ave.

GIRLS—Apply at National Biscuit Co., 409 Liberty st.

GIRLS—8 dining room girls at 1129 Liberty ave.

MILLINERY makers and apprentices. Apply 8th floor, J. D. Bethel & Company, 504 Penn ave.

MILLINERY APPRENTICE—424 Penn ave.

SALESWOMEN—At once, several experienced saleswomen for demonstrators at the Expo. Call 317 Park building.

SOLICITORS—Six bright young women as solicitors on a daily newspaper. Apply at The Gazette Classified Advertising Department.

WANTED—A lady over 21, of good education and address, for an educational work, an unemployed teacher preferred; good salary. Address, with reference, Education J 88, The Gazette.

WANTED—Bright, energetic young lady; good salary; also competent lady for traveling position. Apply Saturday morning between 9 and 11, Perrysville ave., room 417.

WANTED—Ten girls to make paper cores, and four helpers. 435 Second ave.

WANTED—Housekeeper; an elderly lady. 206 Market street, Pittsburgh.

WOMAN—Exposition attendant wanted; a young woman over 20. Address, with telephone number, column, 321 Fifth ave., city.

WOMEN—Young, to learn telegraphy, day or evening. Pennsylvania Telegraph College, Lewis block.

Male and Female Help.

YOUNG MAN OR WOMAN in photographic department of large Pittsburgh manufacturing company; must be a competent operator in all branches of the art. Address S 4, The Gazette.

MALE AND FEMALE help supplied. WALKER, 911 Northern av. Phone 859.

Situations—Male.

MECHANICAL draughtsman, graduate mechanical engineer, Norwegian; want position; have good years' practical experience in this country. Address C 87, The Gazette.

PRACTICAL printer and newspaper man, capable of estimating on all kinds of job work, desires position; employed at present. Address H 84, The Gazette.

SITUATION—As superintendent of general construction of building; good reference furnished. Address M 86, The Gazette.

SITUATION—by experienced young man as choir director; Episcopal church preferred. Address N 88, The Gazette.

SITUATION as private smallgoods store. Good references. Address 2714 Wylie ave.

WANTED—Position as watchman by sober, reliable, middle-aged American; have had experience; can give good reference. Address F 88, The Gazette.

Situation—Female.

SITUATION—By a young woman as stenographer and typewriter or bookkeeper; has had four years' experience. Address S. M., No. 95 Ohioridge st., city.

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THE MARTIN SHORTHAND AND COMMERCIAL SCHOOL, Liberty ave. and Fifth st. Day and evening sessions throughout the year. Instruction the most thorough obtainable. Those interested invited to inspect methods and equipment. Call or send for catalogue.

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WANTED.

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IF you want to sell your store or business we can sell it for you; have customers waiting. See us at once.

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428 Fourth ave.
Phones 1502 Court; 1631 Main.

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WANTED—To purchase either or part interest in light manufacturing business; one making specialty, patented or otherwise, preferred. Address J. 87, The Gazette.

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MILLS-SLAUGENHOUPT CO.,
428 Fourth ave.
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WANT TO RENT—
Five, six and seven-room houses, with all improvements, in East End and Herron Hill districts; state price. Also stores, mill properties, etc. Reliance Real Estate Co., 417 Fourth ave.

Furnished Flat.

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Miscellaneous.

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Protect yours; have it well painted by a trustworthy painter.
F. J. EYRICH, 604 Fifth ave.
711 Forbes st. Both telephones.

H. C. KNAPP, commercial job printer, 3821 Butler st. Both telephones.

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FOR RENT.

I have four new 7 and 8 room houses with front porch, city water, gas and cabinet mantels, just 15 minutes' car ride from the center of the city; for rent at $18 and $20 per month; immediate possession.

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SEND card for list of East End houses and apartments, and map, free.

S. H. LLOYD,
No. 9721 Penn Ave., E. E.
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TO LET—Twelve-room brick house, Penn ave., Edgewood; all conveniences and large lot; barn and fruit reserved. Apply 942 Linden ave., E. E.

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FOR RENT—7 room apartment for light housekeeping. Call 414 Bedford ave., Wilkinsburg.

Storerooms.

FOR RENT—Large well lighted room, suitable for wholesale light manufacturing purposes, completely equipped. Apply seventh floor, 711 Penn ave.

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J. W. GALLAGHER,
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FOR RENT—Two farms containing 200 acres each, situated in Hanover and Raccoon townships, Beaver county, Pa., to rent on shares; 30 acres cleared and good buildings. Inquire Fred Hoffeld, 2 Diamond square, Pittsburgh, Pa.

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Price, $3,000 each, or $25,000 for all.
Present mortgage, $2,000 each, or $20,000 on all.
Terms: Separately, $700 cash, balance $30 per month for the ten; $10,000 cash, balance mortgage.
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Frame house, 7 rooms, bath, hot and cold water, instantaneous water heater, slate roof and all other conveniences, in STAUB, level. Price only $2,800, $500 cash, balance same as rent.

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65 acres, dozen house, fair cultivation; good new wagon shed, new barn nearly finished, fruit and timber. Also 2 good houses, 2 cows, 2 calves, 50 chickens, farming tools, wheat, oats, hay and fodder crop; all for this winter; only 4 miles from city.

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FOR SALE—GAS ENGINES.

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All in good running order and will be sold cheap.

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One Corliss and four Ideal engines in stock, in good condition and very cheap.

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GAS ENGINES, wood working machinery. BRIGGS MACHINERY CO., 403 Bell Liberty.

RELIGIOUS SERVICES TOMORROW.

Reformed Presbyterian.

FOURTH STREET, Duquesne, near Duquesne station, Rev. Thomas Clarkson, D. D., pastor. Preaching at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sabbath school at 2:30 p. m. Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor, Tuesday evening at 7:30. Prayer meeting Thursday evening at 7:30.

Cumberland Presbyterian.

SECOND, Penn and Pinkney avenues, W. P. Shrom, D. D., pastor. "Comforts in Christian Work." 3, "The Tenderly Harvest Lay."

Unitarian.

FIRST, Pittsburgh, Construction of Man, Dalrymple street, E. Liberty. Music—10:45, usual service.

Methodist Episcopal.

CENTENARY, Wylie avenue and Kirkpatrick street, S. E. Bowman, D. D., pastor. "A Great Mistake." 7:45, "An Illustration of a Wonderful Love."

CALVARY, Allegheny and South avenues, Allegheny, James M. Thobum, D. D., pastor. "Getting and Holding." 7:45, "Four Questions."

SMITHFIELD STREET, Smithfield and Fourth avenue, H. Spaid, D. D., pastor. "The Power of the Church." 7, "Temptations of the Church."

SIMPSON, Liberty and Chestnut streets, Allegheny, T. M. Peirce—10:45, "Believing the Divine Story Concerning Jesus." 7:30, usual service.

BRUSH VALLEY, Brush Valley and Dawson street, Allegheny, M. Mattingly—10:30, Marvin Kinsey—7:30, W. H. Thompson—7:30.

EMORY, North Highland avenue and Kirkwood street, Arthur D. Minn—11, "The Glory of the Father." 7:45, Mountain Climbing."

ARCH STREET, Arch and North Diamond streets, Allegheny, W. W. Hall—10:30, consecration; 7:30, "The Mind of Christ."

FRIENDSHIP PARK, Liberty avenue and Machine street, E. L. Miller, D. D.—10:30, "The Lord's Supper, usual service.

LINCOLN AVENUE, W. B. Shaw—11, "The Joys of Knowing Jesus Rather Than Men." 7:45, "The Joys of Victory."

UNION CENTENARY, Thirty-first and Butler streets, Lawrenceville, C. H. M. P. Cranmer—10:45, communion; 7:30, sermon and communion.

WASHINGTON AVENUE, Washington avenue, near Maple, J. T. Sharp—10:45, N. G. Parker, 7:30, Alexander Boyd.

OAKLAND, Thomas J. Leak, D. D.—10:45, Rev. Dr. Hall, "Heroes of the Week." 7:45, "Announcement."

WEST END, Steuben and Main streets, Dixmont—10:30, "The Soul a Universe." 7:45, Dr. S. Bogle.

CHERRY, Center and Liberty avenues, Daniel Deerhorster Jr., D. D.—11, "Love and Liberty."

Methodist Protestant.

TRINITY, Bidwell and Arch streets, Allegheny, John W. Ewers—10:45, "The Power of God." 7:30, A Prophecy of Pentecost." Text, 2:17, "Your Young Men."

BEULAH, Pittsburgh, Penn avenue and Fifty-second street, Rev. Dr. Geo. Hughes—10:45, "The Soul's Mission." 7:45, "Harvest Home."

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Methodist Protestant.

TRINITY, Bidwell and Arch streets, Allegheny, John W. Ewers—10:45, "The Power of God." 7:30, A Prophecy of Pentecost." Text, 2:17, "Your Young Men."

BEULAH, Pittsburgh, Penn avenue and Fifty-second street, Rev. Dr. Geo. Hughes—10:45, "The Soul's Mission." 7:45, "Harvest Home."

FIRST, Pittsburgh, Grant street and Seventy-sixth, D. D. Gerringer—10:45, "Christ and Nicodemus." 7:30, "Harvest Home."

ARCHWALD, Herman C. Rader—11, "Paths Our Contention With Good Is Not Against Evil But Out of Unbelievers."

ST. JOHN'S, Pittsburgh, Penn avenue, Rev. Dr. Geo. Hughes—10:45, "Preparing for a Liturgy." 7:45, Strange Gods.

Christian.

CENTRA

LEGAL NOTICES.

L. S. LEVIN, Attorney-at-Law, No. 4 Grant St., Pittsburgh. In Court of common pleas No. 2, Allegheny county, ss., state of Pennsylvania. Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to said court on Nov. 482 October term, 1903, on Saturday, October 17, 1903, at 10 o'clock a. m., by Benjamin Anderson, J. A. Anderson, Dr. J. G. Burke, John Borgerding, H. O. Birch, D. M. Crawford, W. S. Coe, Samuel Cochran, Chauncey Densmore, Deiss, Ph. Dopbelly, Wm. Fressle, A. Curran, Ernest Melvin, Fred H. Miller, Richard McNall, Charles Shad, John Shaner, Wm. Schempp and August Vonlaun, under the act of assembly entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations," approved April 29, 1874, and the supplements thereto, for the charter of an intended corporation to be called "The Commercial Club of Pittsburgh, Pa.," the character and object of which is to maintain a library and the education of its members in scientific, literary and economic subjects, and for these purposes to have, possess and enjoy all the benefits and privileges of said act of assembly and supplements thereto. The above application will be in the prothonotary's office. S. S. Levin, Solicitor.

J. M. SWEARINGEN, Attorney-at-Law, 61 St. Nicholas building, Pittsburgh, Pa. Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the governor of the commonwealth of Pennsylvania on Monday, the 28th day of September, 1903, at 10 o'clock, a. m., by Chas. F. Stifel, Walter H. Stifel, Frederick Henny, William F. Stifel and George E. Stifel, under the act of assembly of the commonwealth of Pennsylvania, entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations," approved April 29, 1874, and the supplements thereto, for the charter of an intended corporation to be called the "Chas. F. Stifel Company," the purpose of which is the manufacturing and selling of all kinds of leather, and for said purpose to have, possess and enjoy all the rights, benefits and privileges of said act of assembly and supplements. The business of said corporation is to be transacted in the city of Allegheny, Allegheny county, Pa. J. M. Swearingen, solicitor.

PETTES & McALLISTER, Attorneys-at-Law, No. 416 Frick Bldg., Pittsburgh, Pa. Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the governor of Pennsylvania on Tuesday, the 29th day of September, 1903, by George L. Taylor, Simeon R. Simmons, William Thompson, Thomas E. Ewell, Isaac Watson and others, under the act of assembly entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations," approved April 29, 1874, and the supplements thereto, for the charter of an intended corporation to be called Home Publishing Company, the character and object of which is publishing newspapers, books, magazines, pamphlets, periodicals, and for the further purpose of job printing, and for these purposes to have, possess and enjoy all the rights, benefits and privileges of said act of assembly and supplements thereto. Pettes & McAllister, Solicitors.

S. LEO RUSLANDER, Attorney-at-Law, 822 Frick building, Pittsburgh, Pa., state of Pennsylvania, county of Allegheny, ss.: In the court of common pleas No. 2, No. 605 October term, 1899. Emily Baker, by her next friend, vs. Frank Baker. Libel in divorce. Virginia Hartmonhl. To Frank Baker, respondent. You will please take notice that the above case has been put at issue and that testimony will be taken by the said court at the Allegheny county court house, Pittsburgh, Pa., on Monday, October 12, 1903, at 10 o'clock a. m., or as soon thereafter as suits the convenience of the court, when and where you may attend if you see proper. S. Leo Ruslander, attorney for libellant.

IN the matter of the changing of the name of Edward William Mann to Edward William Lindsay. No. 385, July term, 1903. In the court of common pleas, No. 2, of Allegheny county. Take notice that the court of common pleas No. 2 of the county of Allegheny, at No. 385, July term, 1903, did order and decree upon the petition of Edward William Mann that the name of the said Edward William Mann be changed to Edward William Lindsay, in accordance with the act of assembly in such case made and provided. W. J. Brennen, attorney for petitioner.

HOWARD Q. TURNER, Attorney-at-Law, No. 302 Frick Building, Pittsburgh, Pa. Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of Barbara Escherich, deceased, late of Allegheny county, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay. Howard Q. Turner, administrator, 302 Frick Building, Pittsburgh, Pa.

DUNN & MOORHEAD, Attorneys-at-Law, No. 324 Diamond Law Building, Pittsburgh, Pa. Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of Thomas Houston, deceased, late of Allegheny county, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay. Samuel M. Houston, administrator, Thirty-second street and P. R. R., Pittsburgh, Pa.

JOSEPH STATOFELD, Attorney-at-Law, No. 422 Diamond street, Pittsburgh, Pa. Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of John Dietz, deceased, late of Allegheny county, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay. Jacob H. Dietz, administrator, No. 811 Federal st., Allegheny, Pa.

NOTICE is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of Lucy M. Carnahan, deceased, late of Allegheny county, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay. B. H. Carnahan, administrator, Oil City, Pa.

MEETINGS.

Office of
MOOSE BREWING COMPANY,
No. 93 South 10th st., Pittsburgh, Pa.

NOTICE—A special meeting of the stockholders of the Moose Brewing Company will be held at the office of the company, No. 93 South 10th st., Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, on the 10th day of November, 1903, at 3 o'clock p. m., to take action upon the approval or disapproval of the proposed increase of the capital stock of said company from $100,000 to $150,000.

H. M. FRUGH, Secretary.

DIVIDENDS.

Bessemer & Lake Erie Railroad Company.

Pursuant to authority conferred by the board of directors, the undersigned will pay by check, October 1, 1903, a semi-annual dividend of ONE AND ONE-HALF (1½) PER CENT on the common stock of the Pittsburgh, Bessemer & Lake Erie Railroad Company, to stockholders as of record September 15, 1903.

O. W. KEPLER, Treasurer.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

MONONGAHELA NATIONAL BANK,

at Pittsburgh, in the state of Pennsylvania, at the close of business Sept. 9, 1903:

RESOURCES.

Investment securities		$ 247,791 66
Loans and discounts		4,521,614 79
		$4,769,406 45
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		2,971 04
U. S. bonds to secure circulation		100,000 00
Banking house, furniture and fixtures		170,808 81
Other real estate owned		14,148 00
Due from national banks (not reserve agents)	$104,218 22	
Due from state banks and bankers	9,958 28	
Due from approved reserve agents	286,604 43	
		400,775 88
Checks and other cash items	3,902 80	
Exchanges for clearing house	82,114 15	
Notes of other national banks	4,325 00	
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents	804 22	
Lawful money reserve in bank, viz.:		
Specie	270,355 00	
Legal-tender notes	158,453 00	
		518,108 25
Redemption fund with U. S. treasurer (5 per cent of circulation)		5,000 00
Total		$6,042,277 01

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in		$1,000,000 00
Surplus fund		1,000,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid		83,915 27
National bank notes outstanding		100,000 00
Due to other national banks (not approved reserve agents)	$ 557,486 56	
Due to state banks and bankers	48,106 12	
Due to trust companies and savings banks	550,146 18	
Dividends unpaid	125 00	
Individual deposits subject to check	2,128,304 27	
Demand certificates of deposit	3,250 00	
Certified checks	20,367 71	
Cashier's checks outstanding	64,278 25	
		$3,360,051 74
Total		$6,042,277 01

State of Pennsylvania, county of Allegheny, ss: I, John D. Fraser, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, to the best of my knowledge and belief. JOHN D. FRASER, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 12th day of September, 1903.

W. T. HOWE, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

JAS. W. GROVE,
D. P. BLACK,
CHAS. A. JAMISON,
Directors.

Condition of National Banks at Close of Business September 9, 1903

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

LINCOLN NATIONAL BANK,

at Pittsburgh, in the state of Pennsylvania, at the close of business, September 9, 1903.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts		$2,049,918 33
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		870 04
U. S. bonds to secure circulation		300,000 00
Premiums on U. S. bonds		14,550 00
Stocks, securities, etc.		6,000 00
Furniture and fixtures		7,074 20
Other real estate and mortgages owned		18,200 15
Due from national banks (not reserve agents)	$ 88,282 41	
Due from state banks and bankers	1,322 75	
Due from approved reserve agents	177,210 25	
Checks and other cash items	6,614 84	
Exchanges for clearing house	210,819 11	
Notes of other national banks	8,500 00	
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents	1,208 00	
		463,437 68
Lawful money reserve in bank, viz:		
Specie	$163,500 00	
Legal-tender notes	120,500 00	
		280,000 00
Redemption fund with U. S. treasurer (5 per cent of circulation)		15,000 00
Total		$4,065,702 41

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$ 500,000 00
Surplus fund	650,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	156,585 86
	$1,406,585 80
National bank notes outstanding	300,000 00
Due to other national banks	57,587 37
Due to state banks and bankers	269,862 96
Due to trust companies and savings banks	48,188 11
Dividends unpaid	172 75
Individual deposits subject to check	1,877,229 88
Cashier's checks outstanding	1,081 84
	2,154,116 61
Notes and bills rediscounted	25,000 00
Bills payable	150,000 00
	175,000 00
Total	$4,065,702 41

State of Pennsylvania, county of Allegheny, ss: I, W. R. Christian, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, to the best of my knowledge and belief. W. R. CHRISTIAN, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 11th day of September, 1903.

I. M. FICKEISEN, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

E. H. UTLEY,
L. A. EVANS,
C. B. M'LEAN,
Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

COMMERCIAL NATIONAL BANK,

at Pittsburgh, in the state of Pennsylvania, at the close of business, September 9, 1903:

RESOURCES.

Investments securities		$ 9,126 00
Loans and discounts		1,378,821 28
		$1,387,941 28
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		336 37
U. S. bonds to secure circulation		300,000 00
Premiums on U. S. bonds		10,341 70
Banking house, furniture and fixtures		7,089 34
Due from national banks (not reserve agents)	$ 73,238 78	
Due from state banks and bankers	37,009 60	
Due from approved reserve agents	116,366 88	
		226,615 25
Checks and other cash items	10,271 10	
Exchanges for clearing house	223,209 49	
Notes of other national banks	24,998 00	
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents	623 66	
Lawful money reserve in bank, viz.:		
Specie	182,513 85	
Legal tender notes	60,000 00	
		485,113 10
Redemption fund with U. S. treasurer (5 per cent of circulation)		15,000 00
Total		$2,454,037 14

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$ 300,000 00
Surplus fund	150,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	42,512 78
National bank notes outstanding	266,000 00
Due to other national banks	92,345 62
Due to state banks and bankers	7,238 02
Due to trust companies and savings banks	483,265 77
Dividends unpaid	155 00
Individual deposits subject to check	1,091,543 82
Demand certificates of deposit	9,848 42
Certified checks	6,314 51
Cashier's checks outstanding	637 50
	1,641,544 36
Total	$2,454,037 14

State of Pennsylvania, county of Allegheny, ss: I, H. W. Bickel, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, to the best of my knowledge and belief. H. W. BICKEL, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 11th day of September, 1903.

JOHN P. GETTMAN, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

J. J. BOOTH,
W. G. M'CANDLESS,
S. BAILEY, JR.
Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

PEOPLES NATIONAL BANK,

at Pittsburgh, in the state of Pennsylvania, at the close of business September 9, 1903:

RESOURCES.

Investment securities		$ 726,253 04
Loans and discounts		6,416,122 66
		$ 6,342,375 70
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		2,323 88
U. S. bonds to secure circulation		1,000,000 00
U. S. bonds to secure U. S. deposits		300,000 00
Banking house, furniture and fixtures		150,000 00
Other real estate, 409 Wood st.		102,000 00
Due from national banks (not reserve agents)	$ 367,054 24	
Due from state banks and bankers	97,286 52	
Due from approved reserve agents	687,597 79	
		1,151,742 05
Checks and other cash items	$ 77,338 31	
Exchanges for clearing house	396,716 75	
Notes of other national banks	50,000 00	
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents	939 40	
Lawful money reserve in bank, viz.:		
Specie	804,873 00	
Legal tender notes	500,000 00	
		1,329,616 44
Redemption fund with U. S. treasurer (5 per cent of circulation)		50,000 00
Total		$12,938,065 07

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$ 1,000,000 00
Surplus fund	1,000,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	397,243 11
National bank notes outstanding	1,000,000 00
Due to other national banks	$1,362,241 10
Due to state banks and bankers	168,295 52
Due to trust companies and savings banks	2,381,994 85
Dividends unpaid	255 00
Individual deposits subject to check	4,047,006 14
Demand certificates of deposit	76,880 55
Certified checks	5,578 75
Cashier's checks outstanding	258,367 05
U. S. deposits	300,000 00
U. S. bond account	450,000 00
Notes and bills rediscounted	9,230,621 96
	300,000 00
Total	$12,938,065 07

State of Pennsylvania, county of Allegheny, ss: I, Harvey Shumacher, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, to the best of my knowledge and belief. HERVEY SHUMACHER, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 11th day of September, 1903.

W. T. HOWE, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

ROBERT WARDROP,
J. PAINTER, JR.,
B. F. JONES, JR.,
Directors.

PROPOSALS.

THE burgess and town council of the borough of Millvale will receive bids for the paving and sewering of Spruce alley and the sewering of Elizabeth street. Bids to be opened Tuesday evening, September 15, at 8 o'clock at council chamber. Plans and specifications on file at the office of W. A. Young, 214 Grant avenue. The right to reject any and all bids reserved. D. F. Hickey, Burgess. Harry H. Dixon, town clerk.

DANCING ACADEMIES.

JAMES P. BROOKS' DANCING ACADEMY, 1010 Penn ave., open for the season October 1. Advanced class Thursday evenings, beginners Friday and Monday evenings. Circulars.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

MELLON NATIONAL BANK,

at Pittsburgh, in the state of Pennsylvania, at the close of business, September 9, 1903:

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts		$14,250,118 12
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		6,556 72
U. S. bonds to secure circulation		1,050,000 00
U. S. bonds to secure U. S. deposits		1,000,000 00
Premiums on U. S. bonds		138,963 49
Stocks, securities, etc.		1,275,118 75
Due from national banks (not reserve agents)	$ 36,882 58	
Due from state banks and bankers	53,807 02	
Due from approved reserve agents	224,915 34	
		295,604 94
Checks and other cash items	4,276 80	
Exchanges for clearing house	188,676 97	
Bills of other national banks	5,375 00	
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents	249 09	
Lawful money reserve in bank, viz.:		
Specie	518,509 50	
Legal tender notes	125,000 00	
		901,963 50
Redemption fund with U. S. treasurer (5 per cent of circulation)		7,500 00
Total		$17,496,116 64

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$ 2,000,000 00
Surplus fund	400,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	21,636 03
National bank notes outstanding	1,050,000 00
Due to other national banks	4,473,304 85
Due to state banks and bankers	1,122,837 28
Due to trust companies and savings banks	1,810,243 08
Individual deposits subject to check	9,570,582 15
Demand certificates of deposit	25,000 00
Time certificates of deposit	700,850 34
Certified checks	1,044 72
Cashier's checks outstanding	158,659 75
United States deposits	727,479 08
Deposits of U. S. disbursing officer	240,583 85
Accrued interest on deposits	65,822 67
U. S. bonds account	200,000 00
Total	$22,619,495 75

State of Pennsylvania, county of Allegheny, ss: I, W. S. Mitchell, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, to the best of my knowledge and belief. W. S. MITCHELL, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 11th day of September, 1903.

D. J. HICKS, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

R. B. MELLON,
H. C. M'ELDOWNEY,
GEORGE E. SHAW,
Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

FIRST NATIONAL BANK

at Pittsburgh, in the state of Pennsylvania, at the close of business, September 9, 1903:

RESOURCES.

Demand loans		$3,322,294 61
Discounted notes		7,968,982 05
		$11,317,247 56
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		75 92
U. S. bonds to secure circulation		200,000 00
U. S. bonds to secure U. S. deposits		300,000 00
Stocks, securities, etc.		345,126 04
Banking house, furniture and fixtures		500,000 00
Other real estate and mortgages owned		28,100 00
Due from national banks (not reserve agents)	$ 209,853 28	
Due from state banks and bankers	644,220 56	
Due from approved reserve agents	1,023,835 93	
		1,877,909 77
Checks and other cash items	$ 119,224 18	
Exchanges for clearing house	648,423 93	
Notes of other national banks	30,000 00	
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents	1,613 82	
Lawful money reserve in bank, viz.:		
Specie	1,568,940 00	
Legal tender notes	248,891 00	
		2,568,797 67
Redemption fund with U. S. treasurer (5 per cent of circulation)		10,000 00
Total		$17,280,587 97

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$ 1,000,000 00
Surplus fund	1,000,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	704,118 81
	2,704,118 81
National bank notes outstanding	200,000 00
Due to other national banks	$2,711,997 91
Due to state banks and bankers	1,201,959 42
Dividends unpaid	228 00
Individual deposits subject to check	9,262,018 18
Demand certificates of deposit	4,755 00
Certified checks	23,193 28
Cashier's checks outstanding	285,066 32
United States deposits	300,000 00
	15,789,119 11
Total	$17,283,237 92

State of Pennsylvania, county of Allegheny, ss: I, Chas. E. Speer, president of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, to the best of my knowledge and belief. CHAS. E. SPEER, President.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 11th day of September, 1903.

M. L. NEWELL, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

CHARLES A. PAINTER,
CHAS. DONNELLY,
W. HARRY BROWN,
Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

DIAMOND NATIONAL BANK,

at Pittsburgh, in the state of Pennsylvania, at the close of business, September 9, 1903:

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts		$2,655,215 67
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		1,444 51
U. S. bonds to secure circulation		200,000 00
Stocks, securities, etc.		103,281 30
Banking house, furniture and fixtures		176,641 23
Due from national banks (not reserve agents)	$ 36,862 19	
Due from state banks and bankers	9,436 40	
Due from approved reserve agents	158,719 79	
		205,018 38
Checks and other cash items	562 75	
Exchanges for clearing house	122,145 88	
Notes of other national banks	5,607 00	
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents	895 87	
Lawful money reserve in bank, viz.:		
Specie	220,455 45	
Legal tender notes	16,821 00	
		237,276 45
Redemption fund with U. S. treasurer (5 per cent of circulation)		10,000 00
Due from U. S. treasurer, other than 5 per cent redemption fund		1,224 00
Total		$3,704,182 84

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$ 500,000 00
Surplus fund	1,200,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	94,815 99
National bank notes outstanding	200,000 00
Due to other national banks	45,174 18
Due to state banks and bankers	77,308 16
Dividends unpaid	1,195 00
Individual deposits subject to check	1,611,828 84
Certified checks	7,743 11
Cashier's checks outstanding	26,099 60
Total	$3,704,182 84

State of Pennsylvania, county of Allegheny, ss: I, H. C. Wettengel, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, to the best of my knowledge and belief. H. C. WETTENGEL, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 11th day of September, 1903.

FERD. H. PHILLIPS, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

WILLIAM FRICK,
WILLIAM A. SIMCK,
ALBERT L. BRAHM,
Directors.

OFFICIAL—BEN AVON.

OFFICIAL—BEN AVON.

SEALED proposals will be received by the undersigned until 12 o'clock noon September 19, 1903, for the construction of a sewer to a point sixty in the Bentzer plan of town from Perrysville avenue to a point about 315 feet easterly and therefrom. Plans and specifications may be seen at this office. Each bid must contain a certified check for $25.00. The council of the borough of Ben Avon reserves the right to reject any or all bids. Trimble & Miller, 435 Fourth avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

ALLEGHENY NATIONAL BANK,

at Pittsburgh, in the state of Pennsylvania, at the close of business, September 9, 1903:

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts		$3,647,961 44
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		484 67
U. S. bonds to secure circulation		150,000 00
Premiums on U. S. bonds		8,750 00
Stocks and securities		4,500 00
Banking house, furniture and fixtures		50,000 00
Other real estate owned		9,320 00
Due from national banks (not reserve agents)	$ 95,882 58	
Due from state banks and bankers	53,807 02	
Due from approved reserve agents	224,915 34	
		375,604 94
Checks and other cash items	4,276 80	
Exchanges for clearing house	188,676 97	
Bills of other national banks	5,375 00	
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents	249 09	
Lawful money reserve in bank, viz.:		
Specie	518,509 50	
Legal tender notes	125,000 00	
		901,963 50
Redemption fund with U. S. treasurer (5 per cent of circulation)		7,500 00
Total		$5,496,116 64

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$ 500,000 00
Surplus fund	200,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	46,673 20
National bank notes outstanding	180,997 50
Due to other national banks	486,755 36
Due to state banks and bankers	140,090 94
Dividends unpaid	3,454 00
Individual deposits subject to check	3,249,038 70
Demand certificates of deposit	42,100 00
Time certificates of deposit	5,000 00
Certified checks	17,018 94
Cashier's checks outstanding	85,081 00
Bills payable, including certificates of deposit for money borrowed	200,000 00
Total	$5,496,116 64

State of Pennsylvania, county of Allegheny, ss: I, W. Montgomery, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, to the best of my knowledge and belief. W. MONTGOMERY, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 11th day of September, 1903.

T. MORRIS, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

THOS. EVANS,
WALTER CURRY,
D. T. M'CUNE,
Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

UNION NATIONAL BANK,

at Pittsburgh, in the state of Pennsylvania, at the close of business, September 9, 1903:

RESOURCES.

Investment securities		$1,220,691 19
Loans and discounts		4,413,158 57
		$5,633,849 76
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		745 23
U. S. bonds to secure circulation		250,000 00
U. S. bonds to secure U. S. deposits		500,000 00
Premiums on U. S. bonds		102,127 50
Banking house, furniture and fixtures		126,593 85
Other real estate and mortgages owned		10,861 17
Due from national banks (not reserve agents)		199,687 77
Due from state banks and bankers		5,045 91
Due from approved reserve agents		944,109 47
Checks and other cash items		12,757 91
Exchanges for clearing house		102,821 85
Notes of other national banks		16,981 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents		476 03
Lawful money reserve in bank, viz.:		
Specie	$243,068 40	
Legal tender notes	136,250 00	
		384,367 50
Redemption fund with U. S. treasurer (5 per cent of circulation)		12,500 00
Due from U. S. treasurer, other than 5 per cent redemption fund		4,250 00
Total		$7,706,892 83

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$ 500,000 00
Surplus fund	2,250,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	869,184 26
National bank notes outstanding	249,100 00
Due to other national banks	$ 112,350 21
Due to state banks and bankers	24,490 84
Due to trust companies and savings banks	140,041 52
Dividends unpaid	112 00
Individual deposits subject to check	2,527,600 38
Certified checks	25,042 96
Cashier's checks outstanding	5,667 95
United States deposits	803,000 00
	3,337,118 30
Total	$7,706,892 83

State of Pennsylvania, county of Allegheny, ss: I, C. Dean, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, to the best of my knowledge and belief. C. F. DEAN, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 11th day of September, 1903.

H. T. MORRIS, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

T. M. ARMSTRONG,
JOHN H. WILSON,
J. N. M'CUNE,
Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

FIRST NATIONAL BANK,

at Verona, in the state of Pennsylvania, at the close of business, September 9, 1903:

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts		$200,518 34
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		8 26
U. S. bonds to secure circulation		50,000 00
Premiums on U. S. bonds		2,250 00
Stocks, securities, etc.		50,241 60
Banking house, furniture and fixtures		16,500 16
Due from approved reserve agents		31,572 78
Checks and other cash items		400 00
Notes of other national banks		100 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents		193 20
Lawful money reserve in bank, viz.:		
Specie	200,000 00	
Legal-tender notes	144,600 00	
		344,600 00
Redemption fund with U. S. treasurer (5 per cent of circulation)		12,500 00
Total		$ 708,565 54

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$ 500,000 00
Surplus fund	50,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	12,465 54
National bank notes outstanding	12,500 00
Individual deposits subject to check	8277,061 00
Time certificates of deposit	172,100 00
Savings department	27,091 79
Cashier's checks outstanding	2,461 61
	481,253 00
Total	$ 708,565 54

State of Pennsylvania, county of Allegheny, ss: I, E. P. Coffin, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, to the best of my knowledge and belief. E. P. COFFIN, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12th day of September, 1903.

O. S. RICHARDSON, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

C. G. WOODS,
JAS. H. WILLOCK,
JNO. B. LENOX,
Directors.

PATENTS.

H. C. EVERT & CO., Patent Attorneys, 305 Smithfield st., opposite postoffice.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

THIRD NATIONAL BANK,

at Pittsburgh, in the state of Pennsylvania, at the close of business September 9, 1903:

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts		$1,401,091 75
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		2,745 41
U. S. bonds to secure circulation		500,000 00
Premiums on U. S. bonds		32,625 00
Stocks, securities, etc.		138,000 00
Banking house, furniture and fixtures		4,670 92
Other real estate and mortgages owned		3,465 84
Due from national banks (not reserve agents)	$ 54,623 39	
Due from state banks and bankers	1,520 58	
Due from approved reserve agents	158,901 09	
Checks and other cash items	5,309 29	
Exchanges for clearing house	25,086 17	
Notes of other national banks	4,277 00	
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents	1,491 49	
Lawful money reserve in bank, viz.:		
Specie	$43,725 65	
Legal tender notes	25,000 00	
		104,159 65
Redemption fund with U. S. treasurer (5 per cent of circulation)		25,000 00
Total		$2,400,035 20

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$ 500,000 00
Surplus fund	150,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	83,320 83
National bank notes outstanding	500,000 00
Due to other national banks	66,003 28
Due to state banks and bankers	2,304 40
Due to trust companies and savings banks	12,071 86
Dividends unpaid	530 25
Individual deposits subject to check	988,847 64
Demand certificates of deposit	1,093 00
Cashier's checks outstanding	17,749 24
Notes and bills rediscounted	74,000 00
Total	$2,400,035 20

State of Pennsylvania, county of Allegheny, ss: I, Ogden Russell, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, to the best of my knowledge and belief. OGDEN RUSSELL, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12th day of September, 1903.

J. V. M'CORMICK, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

JULIUS BIEBER,
PETER KEIL,
LOUIS F. DEMMLER,
Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

INDUSTRIAL NATIONAL BANK

at Pittsburgh, in the state of Pennsylvania, at the close of business, September 9, 1903:

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts		$1,258,276 27
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		864 53
U. S. bonds to secure circulation		100,000 00
Premiums on U. S. bonds		3,562 50
Banking house, furniture and fixtures		226,615 12
Due from national banks (not reserve agents)	$ 147,072 01	
Due from state banks and bankers	58,446 61	
Due from approved reserve agents	48,591 82	
Checks and other cash items	3,446 23	
Exchanges for clearing house	13,118 50	
Notes of other national banks	5,040 00	
Fraction paper currency, nickels and cents		231 25
Lawful money reserve in bank, viz:		
Specie	$11,850 00	
Legal-tender notes	75,000 00	
		86,850 00
Redemption fund with U. S. treasurer (5 per cent of circulation)		5,000 00
Total		$1,994,870 77

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$ 740,400 00
Surplus fund	135,700 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	11,184 06
National bank notes outstanding	100,000 00
Due to other national banks	$245,868 46
Due to state banks and bankers	17,977 87
Due to trust companies and savings banks	67,096 52
Individual deposits subject to check	470,254 28
Time certificates of deposit	7,500 00
Certified checks	5,375 04
Cashier's checks outstanding	9,539 90
	823,172 69
Purchase money mortgage	120,000 00
Total	$1,994,856 77

State of Pennsylvania, county of Allegheny, ss: I, C. M. Gerwig, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, to the best of my knowledge and belief. C. M. GERWIG, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 11th day of September, 1903.

E. G. HODKINSON, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

G. L. PECK,
JAS. A. HENDERSON,
JNO. G. PATTERSON,
Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

GERMAN NATIONAL BANK,

at Pittsburgh, in the state of Pennsylvania, at the close of business, September 9, 1903:

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts		$2,941,110 00
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		277 00
U. S. bonds to secure circulation		250,000 00
Premiums on U. S. bonds		15,250 00
Stocks, securities, etc.		221,520 00
Other real estate and mortgages owned		49,891 99
Due from national banks (not reserve agents)	$ 60,494 56	
Due from state banks and bankers	97,900 07	
Due from approved reserve agents	195,201 53	
Checks and other cash items	7,454 96	
Exchanges for clearing house	114,231 57	
Notes of other national banks	15,000 00	
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents	791 21	
Lawful money reserve in bank, viz.:		
Specie	300,000

ATCHISON AND U. S. STEEL WERE MARKET LEADERS

Both Stocks Opened Weak and Made a Good Rally. Coal Shares Were Weak in the Local Market—Grain Closed Lower.

By JOHN O. BAGLIN, Financial Editor.

The course of the markets yesterday was again counter to the developments which appeared on the surface and which are supposed to influence values. London prices were lower and the tone of foreign markets heavy. This was based upon predictions that the German bank rate would be advanced on Monday and that the Bank of England was likely to follow with another advance later in the week. On this side there was a very feeble rally in the initial dealings on the government crop report, but the effect was almost immediately neutralized by the resumption of selling of United States Steel. The common stock made a new low record by selling at 19⅞, while the preferred declined to 60½. At the same time Atchison declined to 98¼. For the remainder of the day these two stocks were the leaders of the market. The lowest prices were made before the end of the first hour. A slow recovery set in and the tone of the market gradually strengthened. United States Steel common recovered a dollar a share to 20⅝ and closed at 20½. At one time bids were made for 1,000 and 5,000-share blocks of the stock at 20 and 20¼. The preferred stock rallied 1¼ per cent to 70⅜ and closed at 70⅝.

The heaviest dealings in any stock were in Atchison. In the government crop report low averages on corn were in states traversed by Atchison, and this may have induced the early selling. There was also a report that the statement of the company, to be issued today, would show only a fraction above 6 per cent earned on the common stock. This it was stated, was due to the fact that $2,500,000 out of earnings was paid into the sinking fund. In the early part of the afternoon the stock became very strong, and on large transactions the price crossed 68, closing near the highest. A story emanating from the office of one of the largest buyers of the stock on the rise was that the annual report would show 8.62 per cent earned on the common stock. It is extremely doubtful if any of these reports were responsible for the movements in the market. The dealings in it for three weeks past have indicated that some interest was accumulating Atchison, and there is a strong feeling that this accumulation is for the purpose of giving some interest not now represented a place on the board. The strength in the stock was effective in bringing about a rally of about 1 per cent each in St. Paul, Union Pacific, Missouri Pacific and Rock Island, which closed well above the lowest prices. Less than 1 per cent covered the fluctuations in Pennsylvania, Baltimore & Ohio, Erie and Reading. New York Central rallied from 121⅞ to 123 on light dealings. The market closed steady to firm. The sales were 861,000 shares.

Among the minor industrials the weakness in Realty Construction preferred was a feature, the stock opening at 38 and declining to 35¼. The weakness was based upon the announcement that the pool representing the underwriting syndicate had been dissolved. It was estimated that subscribers would receive in the proportion of $5,000 on each $10,000 of underwriting, and that the net loss on such subscriptions would be about $3,000. Amalgamated Copper was weak in the early dealings, selling off to 46⅝, but it later recovered to 47¼.

If the preliminary estimates of the movement of money may be taken as a guide, today's bank statement will be unfavorable. Despite the gain from the subtreasury and the receipt of gold transferred from San Francisco, the shipments of currency to the interior are estimated to have been sufficient to produce a net loss to the banks of $682,000. It will depend upon the change in the loan item to determine the effect upon reserves and surplus. Call loan rates remained easy and unchanged at 2@2½ per cent.

The action of the grain markets was contrary to expectations, and during the early part of the session was directly in opposition to the government crop report. The latter was less favorable for wheat, and yet the price of the latter declined, while it was more favorable than expected for corn, and this grain advanced. Late in the session both corn and wheat declined and closed at the lowest prices. Primary receipts of wheat are increasing and the adherents of the short crop theory find it difficult to maintain their position on the market.

Weakness in the coal stocks was the feature of the market on the Pittsburgh stock exchange. Gradually the details of the pending deals are becoming public, and as all save the strongest traders are barred from the market by the stringency of money, and insiders appear to have accumulated all they desire, the owners of stock who waited for the last fraction are now selling, or are trying to sell, and they find a very narrow market. River Coal led in point of activity. The common sold at 11¾, and then the price was offered down to 11¼ without finding a buyer, closing at 10¾ bid. The preferred stock sold to the extent of 1,100 shares. It opened lower at 40, sold at 39¾, recovered to 39⅝ and closed at 39⅜ bid. Pittsburgh Coal common broke 1½ per cent to 32 early in the session, and no more transactions occurred until near the close, when there was a rally to 33, the close being at 32¾ bid. The preferred stock declined a dollar a share to 82 and closed without a bid.

The steel stocks were moderately active, but in nearly every instance closing prices were unchanged from the day before. Manufacturers Light and Heat was heavy, declining to 34. A small lot of Monongahela Water sold at 35, a decline of 3½ points from the last previous sale. National Fire Proofing preferred declined a dollar a share to 31, but closed at that bid. The common stock was offered at 20¼. Bhewing common declined ¼ to 29 and closed at 29 bid. The Westinghouse stocks were dull but steady. Air Brake selling at 145 and Electric at 81½. There were no important changes in the remainder of the industrial list.

Bank and trust stocks were dull and heavy, but the only change was a decline of 5 points in Real Estate Trust, which sold at 245 and closed, offered, at 247. Merchants Savings and Trust sold at 81 and Exchange National at 85. There were no transactions in bonds and prices were unchanged.

PITTSBURGH STOCSK.

Transactions on the Pittsburgh stock exchange yesterday took up 4,698 shares, distributed as follows:

10:00 A. M. to 10:30 A. M.

5	U. S. Steel pf	70	
15	do	70	
100	River Coal	11¾	
50	do	11¾	
50	do	11¾	
4	W. Airbrake	145	
100	U. S. Steel	20	
100	do	20⅛	
100	do	20⅛	
100	do	20⅛	

100	U. S. Steel	20	
20	do	20⅛	
5	Fire Proof pf	31½	
40	do	31¼	
5	do	31¼	
100	do	31	
55	do	31	
10	do	31	
5	do	31	

10:30 A. M. to 12:30 P. M.

10	Mon. Water	35	
15	do	35	
5	Exch. Nat. B.	85	
5	Mer. S. & T.	61	
50	Crucible pf	70½	
100	do	70⅝	
80	do	70⅝	
20	do	70¼	
10	do	70¼	
70	do	70⅜	
1	Brewing	29	
80	do	29½	
125	do	29¼	
10	do	29¼	
100	Pgh. Coal	32	
50	do	32	
50	do	32	
50	do	32	
15	U. S. Steel pf	69⅝	
5	do	69⅝	

10	Real Est. Tr.	245	
450	River Coal pf.	40	
50	do	40	
400	do	39¾	
50	do	39¾	
5	Fgh. Coal pfd.	82½	
100	do	82½	
50	do	82½	
100	Mrs. L. & H.	34	
10	do	34	
50	do	34	
100	do	34	
15	do	34	
10	do	34	

12:30 P. M. to 2 P. M.

100	Crucible pfd.	70	
100	U. S. Steel	20⅛	
50	Crucible	70	
50	do	70	
100	River Coal pf	39¾	

20	River Coal pfd	40	
50	do	40	
10	do	40	
15	do	40	
100	Mrs. L. & H.	34½	
100	do	34¼	
50	do	34¼	
100	do	34¼	
50	do	34¼	

2 P. M. to 3 P. M.

7	Mrs. L. & H.	34⅝	
50	do	34	
50	do	34	
50	U. S. Steel pf	70	
100	Electric 2ds	81½	
5	Mer. S. & T.	61	
5	do	81½	
75	do	81½	
20	do	81½	
10	W. Airbrake	145	
25	Pgh. Coal pfd	82½	

1	Fgh. Coal pfd.	83	
50	do	83	
50	do	82	
10	do	82	
25	Pgh. Coal	32	
50	do	32	
75	do	33	
100	do	33	
40	Crucible pfd	70⅝	
20	River Coal pfd	39⅝	

Summary.

Shares.		High.	Low.	Last Sale	Ch'ge.
185	Brewing	29¼	*29	29¼	—⅛
100	Crucible	10	10	10	0
470	Do preferred	70⅝	70	70⅝	+⅛
70	Fire Proof pfd	31½	31	31	—½
542	Mfrs. L. & H.	34¼	34	34	—¼
25	Monon. Water	35	35	35	—½
600	Pgh. Coal	33	32	33	—1
351	Do preferred	83	82	82	—1
200	River Coal	11¾	11¼	11¼	—½
1100	Do preferred	40	39¾	39¾	—⅝
785	U. S. Steel	20½	20	20⅛	0
170	Do preferred	70	69⅝	70	0
20	W. Airbrake	145	145	145	0
220	Electric 2ds	81½	81½	81½	0
5	Exchange N. B.	85	85	85	0
5	Mer. S. & T.	61	61	61	0
10	Real Est. Trust	245	245	245	—5
4698					

*Less than 10 shares.

Closing Bids and Offers.

STOCKS.	Par.	Bid.	Ask.
Pittsburgh Banks.			
Federal National	100	147	148
German National	100		200
Marine National	100	154	
Western Savings Deposit	50		123
Trust Companies.			
Fidelity Title & Trust	100		180
Real Estate Trust	100		247
Iron City Trust		135	
Allegheny Banks.			
Bank of Second Savings	50	90	105
Dollar Sav. Fund & Trust	100		255
Natural Gas.			
Manufacturers Light & Heat	50	34	34½
Mining.			
Luster	10	11½	14
Traction.			
Pleasant Valley	25	24½	
Electric Light.			
Westinghouse 1st pfd	50	87½	
Do 2d pfd	50	81½	82
Incline Plane.			
Monongahela	50	61	
Miscellaneous.			
Crucible Steel Co	100	9¾	10
Do preferred	100	70¼	70⅝
Lone Star Gas	100	112	115
Monongahela Water Co	25		58½
National Fire Proof	50		20⅞
Do preferred	50	31¼	31⅝
Pittsburgh Brewing Co	50	29	29½
Do preferred	50		44½
Pressed Steel Car Co. pfd	100		86
United States Glass	100		30½
Westinghouse Airbrake	50	144	148
Marbison-Walker Co. pfd	100	60	

BONDS.	Exp.	Bid.	Ask.
Railroad.			
Pgh., McKees. & Con. 1st 5s	1931		92

FEATURES OF THE DAY

IN PITTSBURGH

Bank exchanges were $6,537,405, a decrease of $1,821,000.

Stock exchange sales were 4,900 shares. Market closed dull and lower.

River Coal common declined to 11¾ and the preferred to 39¾.

Pittsburgh Coal common broke to 33 and recovered to 33. The preferred declined to 82.

Manufacturers Light and Heat declined to and closed at 34.

Steel stocks declined, but closed steady at a slight recovery.

Real Estate Trust declined 5 points to 246.

IN WALL STREET

U. S. Steel common touched 19¾, a new low record.

There was unexpected selling of Atchison for Keadon account.

There was considerable but unimportant operations in St. Paul.

Union Pacific was active, 33,610 shares being traded in.

Sub-treasury disbursed $250,000 for Klondike gold.

The bond market showed some irregularity and the movement either way was extremely narrow. Total sales (par value), $1,095,000. U. S. bonds were all unchanged on the last call.

UNLISTED SECURITIES.

STOCKS.	Par.	Bid.	Ask.
Miscellaneous.			
Vonderbilt Window Glass pfd	100		65
Monongahela River Coal	50	10⅞	11½
Do preferred	50	39⅝	39¾
Pittsburgh Brewing Co	50	29	
Do preferred	50		44½
Pittsburgh Coal	100	32¾	33
United States Steel Co	100	20⅛	20⅝

BONDS.	Exp.	Bid.	Ask.
Miscellaneous.			
Monongahela River Coal 6s	1949		113¼
Pittsburgh Brewing Co. 6s	1949	110½	

NOTES AND COMMENT.

If the statements of the two largest national banks of Pittsburgh prove a criterion for all the changes, as compared with the reports made June 5, will about offset each other. The Farmers Deposit National shows an increase in total deposits of about $2,375,000, an increase in loans of $1,150,000 and a decrease in investment securities held of $650,000. The Mellon National Bank, on the other hand, shows a decrease of a little more than $2,000,000 in total deposits, a decrease of $845,000 in loans and an increase of $846,000 in securities held. It is the opinion of some leading bankers that, while there may be a slight easing in the local money market, following the subscription of the syndicate, the demand for money for the next two months will be more than equal to the supply.

The coal stocks acted yesterday very much as expected. River Coal issues sold off on the announcement that the Pittsburgh Coal Company had purchased more than 200,000 shares of the common and 200,000 shares of the preferred, the amount specified in the contract under which it acquires control of the property. The selling is evidently by original holders of the stock, since the position of investors is changed only for the better, in the opinion of the financiers connected with both companies. The buying of River Coal common was due solely to the inactivity of the large traders, who have been accumulating the stock. The public has been shut out from the buying side by the stringency in the money market, while the speculative holders of the stock have been waiting to realize the full price which have been predicted for the common when the pending deals have been finally consummated.

The gross earnings of Northern Pacific for the month of August increased $284,000. The gross earnings of Norfolk & Western for the first week in September increased $31,000.

Manufacturers Light and Heat declined half point to 34 on the marketing of 800 shares. An officer of the company says there is an active demand for gas from manufacturers as well as from domestic consumers, and the company is trying to complete its new trunk lines before cold weather sets in.

The falling off in local bank exchanges is partly due to the decrease in activity in the coal trade, but the comparison is now made with a period last year when there was great activity in bank and trust company shares and a much broader general market.

On the New York stock exchange yesterday a trader offered to wager $5,000 that United States Steel common would not pay more regular dividends. There were no takers.

The gross earnings of Buffalo, Rochester & Pittsburgh for the first week in September decreased $10,109.

A dividend of 2 per cent has been declared on the Union Improvement stock, payable October 15, as registered Sept. 30.

Union Bag and Paper Company directors have declared the regular quarterly dividend of 1¾ per cent on the preferred stock, payable October 15.

Chicago Junction Railway and Union Stock Yards Company have declared a quarterly dividend of 1½ per cent on the preferred and 2 per cent on common stock, payable October 1.

St. Louis & San Francisco directors have declared the regular quarterly dividend of 1 per cent on the first preferred stock, payable October 1.

International Paper Company directors declared the 1½ per cent regular quarterly dividend on the preferred stock, payable October 1, to stock of record September 14.

Directors of the Nova Scotia Steel Company have declared the quarterly dividend of 1¾ per cent on the preferred stock, payable October 15. An interim dividend of 3 per cent was declared on the common stock payable October 15.

The Virginia-Carolina Chemical Company has declared the regular quarterly dividend of 2 per cent on preferred stock, payable October 15.

United States Realty and Construction preferred sold down to 35¾, a new low record, and the common sold at 6¼. Last year these stocks sold at 75¾ and 42, respectively.

The General Electric Company has declared the regular quarterly dividend of 2 per cent.

Advices indicate that another advance in discount rates may be expected, both from London and Berlin. This, it is assumed, is in line with the policy of the leading financial institutions of Europe to discourage gold movements in this country. The present discount rate of the Bank of England, 4 per cent, made last week, was the lowest since February 7, 1901. Any advance by the Imperial Bank of Germany would excite little surprise in view of the steady decline in the bank's cash holdings.

THE MONEY MARKET.

The local money market is firm and unchanged at 6 per cent on call and time loans. Now that the call of the comptroller has been issued, there should be a slight relaxation in the rate, but no decided change is looked for. Clearing house statement:

	Exchanges.	Balances.
Yesterday	$6,537,405 45	$1,149,706 56
Last week	6,761,886 01	1,460,135 43
Last year	8,358,450 05	1,504,268 10

Condition of the Treasury.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 11.—Today's statement of the treasury balances in the general fund, exclusive of the $150,000,000 gold reserve in the division of redemption, shows: Available cash balance, $236,646,805; gold, $105,051,837; silver, $3,295,208; United States notes, $17,520,021; deposit in national bank depositories, $15,045,000; national bank notes, $10,487,750; total receipts this day, $2,498,198; total receipts this month, $13,270,819; total receipts this year, $113,270,819; total expenditures this day, $1,600,000; total expenditures this month, $14,580,000; total expenditures this year, $114,042,783; deficiency in customs receipts, $157,074,032.

New York Money Market.

NEW YORK, Sept. 11.—Money on call steady at 2@2½, per cent; closing bid, 2¼ per cent; offered at 2½ per cent. Time loans steady; 60 days, 4@4½ per cent; 90 days, 4@4½ per cent; six months, 4½@5 per cent; prime mercantile paper, 5@6 per cent. Sterling exchange weak, with actual business in bankers' bills at $4 83.05@4 83.10 for demand, and at $4 82.20@4 82.30 for 60-days' bills; posted rates, $4 83½ and $4 87; commercial bills, $4 82¾ bar silver, 51¾. Mexican dollars, 39¾. Government bonds steady; railroad bonds irregular.

Foreign Money Market.

LONDON, Sept. 11.—Money, 2½@3 per cent. Rate for short bills, 3 11-16@3½ per cent; three months' bills, 3½@3⅝ per cent. Consols for money, 89¾; consols for account, 89⅞. Money was in good demand and in the weakest today for stock exchange requirements and supplies were limited. Discounts were firm. Prices on the stock exchange were irregular, but mostly a trifle easier.

BERLIN, Sept. 11.—Exchange on London, 20 marks 36½ pfgs for checks; financial news, bills, 2¾ per cent; three months' bills, 3¼ per cent.

BANKING DEPARTMENT IS TO OPEN ON MONDAY

Pittsburgh Concern Will Spread. Those Who Are on the Directorate.

The Land, Title and Trust Company of Pittsburgh will open its banking department Monday in the premises recently purchased from the Colonial Trust Company, built and formerly occupied by the Commercial National bank until its union with the Commonwealth Real Estate and Trust Company. The real estate department has been conducted since August 1 in the quarters formerly occupied by Gault & Gillen, whose business was purchased by this company.

The title department is being temporarily conducted in rooms Nos. 126-128 Bakewell building, formerly occupied by Dunn & McCheard, whose business was also purchased. At the expiration of the present change (April 1, 1904) in the rear of the building purchased those departments will be placed. A glass roof is to be built, alterations being figured on. The banking and real estate department will occupy the entire ground floor and a gallery will be constructed for use of the title department.

John B. Milliken, president of the institution, will be active manager for the present. He was born and raised in Pittsburgh, entered active business life when 14 years of age and has a wide circle of business friends and acquaintances in Pittsburgh, New York, Chicago and Hartford. He left Pittsburgh in the early '90s to accept a position as secretary and treasurer of the Connecticut Loan and Realty Company of Hartford. At the time of leaving Pittsburgh he was chief clerk in the Carnegie Steel Company's offices. He later left Hartford to fill the position of treasurer with the American Cotton Company of New York, leaving there to accept the position of secretary and treasurer of the Chicago Pneumatic Tool Company, to which a number of Pittsburghers are interested, Charles M. Schwab and John R. McClinley being on the board of directors. Mr. Bau been uniformly successful in every position he occupied and secure for this institution with a wide and varied experience.

S. M. Willock, vice president, is well known to all Pittsburghers as the owner of the Waverly Oil Company, at Fifty-fourth and Allegheny Valley railroad; is extensively engaged in real estate operations, and owns a number of downtown and Squirrel Hill properties.

Isaac Jackson, treasurer, in charge of the banking department, was born in Brownsville, Pa. His first employment was with the National Bank of Fayette County, Uniontown. Since then he has successively and successfully filled the positions of cashier of the Monessen National bank at Monessen, cashier of the Allegheny Valley bank at Pittsburgh and Lawrenceville, and secretary and treasurer of the Sewickley Valley Trust Company at Sewickley Pa. The last position he left to accept the present one.

The following officers and directors have been elected: John B. Milliken, president; John N. Dunn, vice president and title officer; W. W. Clifton, vice president; Isaac Jackson, treasurer; S. W. Gault, manager of the real estate department; B. F. Dunwoody, secretary; directors John B. Milliken, John N. Dunn, W. J. Griffith, director in Republic National bank; J. B. Jones, director in Real Estate Savings and Trust Company of Allegheny; S. W. Gault, Isaac Jackson, S. M. Willock, S. W. Gault, Dr. J. J. Buchanan, Attorney Frank Stoner, George Davidson, vice president of National Bank of New Brighton; Samuel A. Bratner, president of the Orford Copper Company; one of Charles M. Schwab's partners; Robert W. Gillespie, president of the Armenia Fire Insurance Company; F. B. Elliott and Thomas Reynolds.

Banks and Treasury.

NEW YORK, Sept. 11.—Special.—In recognition of checks drawn in payment of gold at the Seattle assay office today's official returns show that the subtreasury paid out $250,000 in gold coin. The subtreasury paid out $234,875, against $587,000 for the same period a week ago, total payment by subtreasuries on New York banks for the day, $2,600,000; payments to banks by government, $4,058,000; total payments by government to banks since Friday, $10,000.

19,000—Wanted—19,000.

See Home Trust Company's ad. in next Sunday's Gazette.

COMPLETE RECORD NEW YORK STOCKS

Daily range of prices reported by Messrs. Henry Sproul & Co., Peoples Savings Bank Building, members of New York, Philadelphia, Pittsburgh and Chicago boards of trade.

ACTIVE LIST.

Sales.	STOCKS	Open'g	High.	Low.	Close
1,400	A. T. & S. F.	69⅝	69⅝	68⅞	69⅛
200	Do preferred	95½	96	95½	95⅝
	Am. Cotton Oil				47
	Do preferred				94
	Am. Sug. Ref.	116	116	115	115½
	Do preferred				110
200	Am. Locomotive	34½	34½	34	34
100	Am. Smelting	74½	74½	73½	73⅝
200	Am. Car & F.	31½	31½	31	31
	Do preferred				90
	American Can				4½
	Do preferred				20
14500	Anal. Copper	47⅝	47⅝	46⅝	46⅝
200	Anaconda Min.	39½	39½	39	39
200	Atc., Top. & Sf.	98	98	97½	97½
	Do preferred				102
	Atlantic Coast				70
	Do preferred				95
	Baltimore & Ohio				97
4900	Balt. & Ohio	97½	97⅝	97	97⅛
150	Do preferred	93	93	93	93
6200	Brooklyn R. T.	67	67⅝	66⅞	67⅛
2600	Can. Pacific	144½	144½	143½	143½
2000	Chicago & G. W.	19⅝	19⅝	19⅜	19⅜
	Chesapeake & O.	44½	44½	44	44
600	Chicago & Alton	35	35	34½	34½
100	Do preferred	78	78	78	78
100	C. I. & So.	40	40	40	40
	Corn Product	10½	10½	10½	10½
	Do preferred	29½	29½	29½	29½
2200	Del. & Hudson	171	171	170	170
	Del., L. & W.				500
100	Den. & R. G.	34	34	34	34
	Do 2d pfd.				80
100	Det., T. & W.				70
	Dul., S. S. & A.				20
	Do preferred				40
2200	Erie	39½	39⅝	39	39⅛
1200	Do 1st pfd.	67½	67½	67	67
200	Do 2d pfd.	47½	47½	47	47
	Gen. Electric				162
	Illinois Central				135
400	Do preferred	93	93	93	93
	Int. Paper				11
	Do preferred				50
600	Int. Pump	29	29	28½	28½
	Do preferred				75
	Int. Power				30
	L. S. & M. S.				150
	Do preferred				200
1100	Lake Erie & W.	20	20	19½	19½
	Do preferred	65	65	65	65
1100	Lehigh Valley	165	165	164½	164½
7200	Missouri Pac.	94	94½	93½	93⅝
1000	Mobile & Ohio	44	44	43½	43½
2000	Metropolitan	145	145	144	144
	Missouri Central				15
200	National Lead	53	53	52½	52½
	Do preferred				115
100	Nat. Biscuit	45	45	45	45
	Do preferred				120
3600	N. Y. Central	123	123½	122½	122½
	N. Y. Chicago				90
1000	N. Y. & Hud.	125	125	124½	124½
1100	Nort. & West.	69	69	68½	68½
	Do preferred				90
	Nev. Consolidated				11
	Omaha				100
800	Pacific Mail	37	37	36½	36½
	Pullman				210
	Pressed Steel Car	39	39	38½	38½
200	Do preferred	86	86	86	86
12024	Penn. R. R.	61½	61⅝	61	61⅛
	P., C. & St. L.				100
	Do preferred				99
	Pittsburgh				300
	Do preferred				300
10200	Reading	54½	54⅝	54	54⅛
	Do 1st pfd.				84
	Do 2d pfd.				75
2000	Rock Island	29	29½	29	29⅛
	Do preferred	71	71	71	71
200	Republic Iron	23	23	23	23
200	Do preferred	84	84	84	84
	Southern Pac.	64½	64⅝	64	64⅛
	Southern Ry.	27	27	26½	26⅝
	Do preferred	84	84	84	84
11200	Tenn. C. & I.	70	70	69½	69⅝
	Texas & Pacific				27
	Third Avenue				120
	Do preferred				120
1000	Toledo, St. L. & W.	24	24	24	24
	Do preferred	50	50	50	50
	Twin City				104
400	Union Pacific	98½	98⅝	97½	97⅝
	Do preferred				93
	U. S. Rubber				13
	Do preferred				50
	U. S. Leather				8
	Do preferred				70
	U. S. Steel	20	20⅛	19¾	19¾
	Do preferred	70	70⅜	69⅝	69⅝
	Va. Car. Chem.				30
	Do preferred				90
100	Va. Iron, C. & C.	36	36	36	36
	Wabash				20
	Do preferred				40
	Wheeling & L. E.				8
	Do 1st pfd.				70
	Do 2d pfd.				30
	Wis. Central				24
	Do preferred				50

Total sales, 209,300 shares.

INACTIVE LIST.

100	American Ship				27
500	Chi. Ter. T. pfd.				21½
100	K. C. & Southern				23

CLOSING BOND PRICES.

U. S. ref. 2s, reg.	106½	Mex. Cent. 1st 4s	79½
Do coupon	106½	Do 2d inc.	27
U. S. new 3s, reg.	109	Mo., K. & T. gen. 4s	96
Do coupon	109	Do 2d inc.	70
U. S. new 3s, reg.	109	N. Y. C. gen. 3½s	99½
Do coupon	109	N. J. Cent. gen. 5s	120½
U. S. old 4s, reg.	110	Nor. & West. gen. 6s	116
Do coupon	110	Do conv. 4s	96
U. S. old 5s, reg.	110	Nor. Pac. 3s	65
Do coupon	110	Do 4s	104½
Atchison gen. 4s	102½	Do deferred	78
Do adjustment 4s	89	Ohio River 5s	100
Do 2d inc.	79	Do gen. 6s	120
Atlantic Coast 1st 6s	120	Or. Short Line 1st 6s	120
Balt. & Ohio 4s	102½	Or. Nav. 4s	100
Do 6s	116	Or. R. & N. 4s	100
Do Southwest 4s	97	Penn. cv. 3½s	101½
Do Southwest 2d 4s	85	Reading gen. 4s	96½
Brooklyn R. T. 4s	85	Rock Island 4s	96
Can. Pac. 4s	104½	St. L. & I. M. con. 5s	110
Chesapeake & O. 5s	110	St. L. & S. F. gen. 6s	120
Chi. & Alton 3½s	80	St. L. S. W. 1st 4s	96
Chi., B. & Q. new 4s	102½	Do 2d 4s	85
Chi., Ind. & L. 1st 6s	110	Southern Pac. 4s	96½
Chi., M. & St. P. gen. 4s	102½	Southern Ry. 5s	110
Chi., R. I. & P. 4s	102½	Tenn. C. & I. 6s	110
Chi. & E. Ill. 1st 6s	120	Texas & Pac. 1st 5s	110
Chi. & N. W. gen. 3½s	100	Union Pac. 4s	104
Chi. & N. W. gen. 7s	140	Wabash 1st 5s	120
Chi. & N. W. sk. fd. 6s	130	Wabash deb. B.	70
Chi. & N. W. 2½s	100	Wheeling & L. E. 5s	110
Chi. & N. W. 5s	120	Wis. Central 4s	96
Chi. Term. 4s	96		

Philadelphia Closing Bids.

Amer. Chemical	7	Phila. Elec.	5
Am. Railways	4	Phila. R. R.	17½
Catawissa, Pref.	15	Phila. Trac.	82
Catawissa, Com.	4	Phila. Trac. 2s	97
Con. Trac.	7	Tono-Belmont	1
Con. Trac. Pref.	35	Union Trac.	45
Diamond State	15	Welsbach Co.	3
Diamond Steel	1	Penn. Salt	95
Do preferred	4	Do preferred	100
Electric Storage	25	Do 1st pfd.	100
Do preferred	75	Do 2d pfd.	100
Elec. Vehicle	2	Do 3d pfd.	100
Elec. Vehicle pref.	10	Do 4th pfd.	100
Empire Steel	25	Do 5th pfd.	100
Do preferred	75	Do 6th pfd.	100
Keystone Tel.	1	Do 7th pfd.	100
Lehigh Nav.	75	Do 8th pfd.	100
Lehigh Nav. pref.	75	Do 9th pfd.	100
Lehigh Val.	50	Do 10th pfd.	100
Lehigh Val. pref.	50	Do 11th pfd.	100
Lehigh Val. Trans.	1	Do 12th pfd.	100
Lehigh Val. Trans. pref.	2	Do 13th pfd.	100
Mexican	2	Do 14th pfd.	100
Mexican Cent.	2	Do 15th pfd.	100
Mexican Nat.	2	Do 16th pfd.	100
Mexican Nat. pref.	2	Do 17th pfd.	100
Mexican Nat. 2d pref.	2	Do 18th pfd.	100
Mexican Nat. 3d pref.	2	Do 19th pfd.	100
Mexican Nat. 4th pref.	2	Do 20th pfd.	100
Mexican Nat. 5th pref.	2	Do 21st pfd.	100
Mexican Nat. 6th pref.	2	Do 22nd pfd.	100
Mexican Nat. 7th pref.	2	Do 23rd pfd.	100
Mexican Nat. 8th pref.	2	Do 24th pfd.	100
Mexican Nat. 9th pref.	2	Do 25th pfd.	100
Mexican Nat. 10th pref.	2	Do 26th pfd.	100
Mexican Nat. 11th pref.	2	Do 27th pfd.	100
Mexican Nat. 12th pref.	2	Do 28th pfd.	100
Mexican Nat. 13th pref.	2	Do 29th pfd.	100
Mexican Nat. 14th pref.	2	Do 30th pfd.	100
Mexican Nat. 15th pref.	2	Do 31st pfd.	100
Mexican Nat. 16th pref.	2	Do 32nd pfd.	100
Mexican Nat. 17th pref.	2	Do 33rd pfd.	100
Mexican Nat. 18th pref.	2	Do 34th pfd.	100
Mexican Nat. 19th pref.	2	Do 35th pfd.	100
Mexican Nat. 20th pref.	2	Do 36th pfd.	100
Mexican Nat. 21st pref.	2	Do 37th pfd.	100
Mexican Nat. 22nd pref.	2	Do 38th pfd.	100
Mexican Nat. 23rd pref.	2	Do 39th pfd.	100
Mexican Nat. 24th pref.	2	Do 40th pfd.	100
Mexican Nat. 25th pref.	2	Do 41st pfd.	100
Mexican Nat. 26th pref.	2	Do 42nd pfd.	100
Mexican Nat. 27th pref.	2	Do 43rd pfd.	100
Mexican Nat. 28th pref.	2	Do 44th pfd.	100
Mexican Nat. 29th pref.	2	Do 45th pfd.	100
Mexican Nat.

BANNER DAY FOR NEW ALLOTMENTS

Three Large Lot Plans Will Be Formally Opened Today in This Vicinity.

HUMP DEAL SPOILED BY TUNNEL

Hazelwood and Glenwood Residents Agitating New Street Car Line to Oakland. New Realty Firm to Operate Up the Allegheny River—Market Street Deal.

With favorable weather this promises to be a boom day for lot sales. Three of the largest allotments that have been put on this year will be formally opened today with a sale which from the locations and advantages of the lot plans should attract large crowds. In Allegheny the Keating West View No. 2 allotment is to be formally placed upon the market, although lots there have been selling rapidly for a week. The plan adjoins the West View No. 1 allotment on the east and from present indications will be disposed of fully as rapidly as the first part. The drawing feature of both sales, managed by the Freehold Real Estate Co., is the premium bond by which a cash buyer and builder can secure a home at a great reduction.

Bodenbaugh place, the other Allegheny allotment, is being handled by the Real Estate Savings and Trust Company, of Allegheny which has sold over 30 lots this week. The property is located near Riverview park in the heart of the Perrysville avenue district, but only a short distance from the new observatory. It is only 25 minutes' ride from Fifth avenue and in a district that is building up very fast.

Boulevard Allotment Ready.

In the Squirrel Hill district the Land Title and Trust Company has its opening sale of the Country club plan of lots which has been laid out on the S. M. Willock property. The success of the Callery plan of lots, sold earlier in the season, is evidence of the demand for good building sites in the Squirrel Hill district, and brokers predict that a large majority of the Country club lots will be sold today. The lots face in the boulevard and Shady avenue and are but a short way from Shadyside. They range in price from $500 to $1,750.

A sale of over $20,000 on the "hump," which was to have been closed yesterday, fell through for rather an odd reason. The papers of agreement in the deal were signed and the hard money paid last week. By some means the buyer was led to look up his purchase more carefully, and found that it was directly over a tunnel. Further investigation disclosed the fact that if the "hump" is removed according to the grades proposed only three feet of ground would be left over the tunnel at this point. Not wishing to incur such a risk he went to the brokers and explained he situation, and rather than disappoint the buyer the deal was finally called off.

New Firm Has $500,000 Capital.

The latest real estate firm to appear in the field is the National Real Estate Company, which has opened offices at No. 405 Fitzsimons building. The company is capitalized at $500,000 and has the following officers: C. J. Bennett of New Kensington, president. C. D. Silver of this city, vice president and manager; F. E. Korvin of New Kensington, secretary and treasurer. The company expects to operate largely in the towns up the Allegheny river and will make a specialty of selling homes on the monthly payment plan. Local boards will be established in the different towns where stockholders live and by this means the company expects to get a good line of mortgage and insurance business.

The Fifth Avenue Realty Company sold for J. C. Dobbs to Julius Rosenzoid a lot 24x100 feet at No. 2230 Wylie avenue, improved with two buildings, for $2,700.

The deal for the Edmundson property in Market street was closed yesterday, the exact consideration being $50,000. The buyer is Robert D. McGonigle, who paid $2,174 a front foot for the property, the lot measuring 23x70 feet.

Bellevue: Barr Bros. & Co. sold for Frederick W. Kiefer to William C. Bradley a lot 160x147 feet at Bayne and Thomas avenues, Bellevue, for $3,700.

Scattering Realty Transfers.

Clark street (extension): The Aronson Realty Company sold for Mrs. J. G. Sloan to George A. Barclay No. 48 Clark street extension, a nine-room brick building, lot 28x133 feet, for $5,000.

Reed street: Max Friedman sold to William M. Randolph an improved lot, 16x155 feet, in the southeast side of Reed street, Thirteenth ward, for $6,500.

Fineland street: Louis Noll sold to George W. Earnest an improved lot, 23x145 feet, in the west side of Walter avenue, Thirty-first ward, for $1,500.

Sheridan: The Consolidated Real Estate Company sold for S. S. Stahl to Mary C. Shanahan a six-room frame house, 16x42x118 feet, in Glenmawr avenue, Sheridan, for $3,000.

Belmar place: Joseph L. Hesch sold to C. A. Halgren an improved lot, 25x115 feet, in the west side of Monticello street, Twenty-first ward, for $3,200.

Rosedale street: William S. Bognter sold to Charles Hobs an improved lot, 40x118 feet, in the east side of Rosedale street, Thirty-seventh ward, for $2,000.

Building permits were issued to Hugo H. Leysch for five two-story brick dwellings in Verona street, Twenty first ward, to cost $18,000; T. and J. Lockhart, for three two-story dwellings on Anderson street, to cost $7,000.

Transfers Recorded.

Pinton Wm S to F Howell, Sept 10, '02, 10th wd, McKeespt, 25x129, Pacific ave ..... $ 2,850

Pfeifer John to R J Andrews, Sept 4, '03, Penn twp, acreage 3,000

Simmons Harry D. to C L Reber, Sept 9, '02, 32 dwd, Pgh, 30x105, Waverley pl 3,000

Brown Mary P to G Martin, Feb 14, '03, Carnegie, 25x120, Washington ave 2,000

Glassport Land Co to A Gortsiensky, June 26, '03, Glassport, 50x120, Delaware ave 500

Buist Ralph N to A C Pitcairn, Aug 25, '03, 21st wd, Pgh, 28x67, Travalla road 4,000

Miller F D to M L Jackson, Aug 22, '03, Avalon, 35x150, Building st 4,400

Martsolf F C to K E Davis, April 30, '03, Stowe twp, 24x100, Broadway

Plummer Lucy to D C Shipley, Mch 28, '03, Wilkins twp, 40x120, Superior st 2,000

Lynn High to S S Lennox, July 11, '03, Aspinwall, 25x100, Fifth st 1,000

Ross Mansfield A to M M H Morrison, Dec 28, '02, Coraopolis, Fleming st 2,100

Birch Jno B to M Delphey, Aug 28, '03, 30th wd, Pgh, lot, Sycamore st 400

Tannenbaum Jacob to J C Huffman, Sept 1, '03, 8th wd, Pgh, 41x84, Fuller st 1,500

Vogel Frederick to C E Flasher, Mch 31, '02, 27th wd, Pgh, lot, Arlington ave 10,000

Same to C Haendler, Mch 31, '02, 27th wd, Pgh, lot, Arlington ave 600

Bullst Morris to F Vogel, Mch 18, '03, 27th wd, lot, Arlington ave 2,000

Dugan Bridget to Jno Dugan, July 1, '03, Esplen, 4 lots, Hunt st 200

Hanhen Wm F to M Evans, Aug 29, '03, Chartiers twp, 5 lots 1,450

Simmond Robert to Union E & L A, Aug 24, '03, 12th wd, Pgh, 22x150, Harriet st 1,325

Montgomery Robert S to C C Craft, Aug 19, '08, Emsworth, 2 lots, Terrace st 1,500

Zischkau Oscar G to H O Bundt, Sept 2, '03, Turtle Creek, lot, Hunter st 5,400

Knoxville Imps Co to A M Prosch, July 1, '03, Knoxville, 47x128, Mathews ave 1,900

Woolslair Carrie F to Pgh Land Co, Aug 20, '02, 16th wd, Pgh, 153x100, Liberty ave 11,300

Erickson Charles J to J H Niehaum, Aug 14, '03, McKeespt, 51x100, Bowman ave 1,800

Zollinger Charles L to J Neff, May 26, '03, 37th wd, Pgh, 30x137, Tacoma st 2,500

Quigley John to A Texas, Aug 5, '03, Knoxville, 25x100, Jucunda st 4,700

May H A to W C Reeves, Aug 15, '03, 19th wd, Pgh, 20x90, Cornell st 1,720

Ashley C W to M McCannon, Aug 1, '03, Munhall, 3 lots, Eleventh ave 3,870

Griffin Wm J to J Liggett, June 20, '03, 20th wd, Pgh, 60x145, Baum st 9,000

Cubbage Sadie M to R Rogers, Sept 1, '03, Swissvale, lot, Wilkins ave 2,000

Coffee and Sugar.

NEW YORK, Sept. 11.—The market for coffee futures opened at unchanged prices and while quiet, ruled generally steady to firm on light covering and some little demand from outside sources. There was absence of important offerings. The buying was encouraged by steadiness abroad, reports of a better spot demand and expectations of further bad crop accounts. The market closed unchanged to 5 points higher. The sales were 9,750 bags, including September at 4.60c; November, 4.20@4.25c; December, 4.45@4.50c; January, 4.60c; March, 4.75c; April, 4.85c; July, 5.00@5.05c; No. 7 Rio, 5 3-16c. Sugar, raw firm; fair refining, 3¾c; centrifugals, 96 test, 4¼c; molasses sugar, 3¼c; refined firm; crushed, 5.00c; powdered, 4.70c; granulated, 4.60c.

COFFEE IS STRONGER AT HIGHER PRICES

Oats and Middlings More Active—Potatoes Again Lower. Eggs Advance One Cent.

The coffee market is decidedly firmer, with prices advancing. Thursday dealers were advised of an advance of one-eighth cent a pound on green coffee, but no change has been noted in package goods. A rise of one and perhaps two cents a pound is looked for, however. The improvement in the market is most noticeable in options, which have advanced 25 to 40 points. Reports from the coffee-raising sections continue to indicate a short crop, with considerable damage being done to next season's product. This makes it evident to dealers that the prices for all grades which have this year been forced down to a very low level, must advance.

Flour is moving more freely. Quotations hold as announced last week. No new wheat has been ground and millers report from the northwest that farmers are holding their wheat for a much higher figure than is being offered now. This, and the fact that no surplus is in sight in this country, and the big foreign demand indicate higher prices for four before long.

Receipts of hay are still light, being not over one-third of what has come in at this time other years. Three cars of clover arrived Wednesday. Oats are strong at the prevailing prices. Forty-two cents was asked on track change for No. 2 white oats, with 41½ cents bid. For middlings $24 a ton was asked, with the highest bid $22.

Canned goods show no changes, with the exception of tomatoes, which are weaker. Canned corn is evidently going to be a short pack, and peas and beans are expected to be in hotly demand as substitutes. The grocery market is in fair condition, with prices unchanged.

In the yards yesterday 65 and 70 cents were paid for potatoes, with the quotations in store standing at 75 and 80 cents a bushel. The tendency of prices is still downward. Tomatoes ruled higher. Cantaloupes were quoted lower. The heaviest slump was in grapes, which are coming in freely. Plums also are in good supply.

Eggs advanced one cent a dozen yesterday, and the price is expected to hold. Most of the eggs are now out of the country, and no cold storage stock will be visible until prices rise higher. In celery it is a buyer's market, and the stock is going for about what it will bring, owing to the presence of so much fruit and many varieties of vegetables in market.

HAY, GRAIN AND FEED.

Receipts bulletined: Pennsylvania lines, 29 cars hay, 3 cars oats, 1 car straw, 1 car corn; Pittsburgh & Lake Erie railroad, 2 cars hay, 1 car oats, 1 car rye; Baltimore & Ohio railroad, 6 cars hay. Total receipts, 44 cars.

Hay, No. 1 tim. ..... $14.00@14.50
do No. 2 ..... 12.50@13.50
do No. 1 clov ..... 11.00@11.00
do No. 2 ..... 9.50@10.00
No. 1 mix ..... 13.00@12.00
Loose from wagon ..... 15.00@17.00
Straw, oat ..... 8.50@7.00
do wheat ..... 6.50@7.00
do rye ..... $9.00@9.50
Oats, No. 2 white ..... 41½@42c
do No. 3 ..... 40½@41c
do No. 4 ..... 39½@40c
Rye, No. 2 ..... c@60c
Wheat middlings, No. 2, ton ..... $23.00@28.50
do brown ..... $21.00@21.50
Bran, ton ..... $18.50@19.00
Wheat, No. 2 red ..... 79@80
Corn, No. 2 yellow, shelled ..... 61@61½c
High mix ..... 60@60½c
No. 2 mix ..... 58@58½c
No. 2 yel. ear ..... 60@60c
High mix ..... 60@60c

GROCERIES.

Flour	Sugar, 5-lb cot.
Fancy spr $5.00@5.10	ton lots 5.25c
Fancy win pat $4.15	do powdered 5.50c
Straight win ..... $3.80@3.90	do pow'd xxxx 5.25c
Bakers spr ..... $3.40@3.60	do cubes 5.25c
Rye ..... $3.25@3.60	do cut loaf 5.00c
Graham ..... $3.00@3.00	do coff A ..... 4.40@4.50c
Cornmeal, bbl $3.25	do No. 1 yellow 4.75c
do 10-lb cotton bags ..... 18@19c	do No. 2 yellow 4.70c
Rolled oats, bbl ..... $5.15@5.40	do No. 3 yellow 4.65c
Roasted Coffee	Teas
do kegs ..... $3.00@3.10	Marrow, bu ..... $3.00@3.10
Rio ..... 8¼@12c	Navy, H. P. ..... $2.35@2.45
Santos ..... 22½@24½c	Navy, imp ..... $2.20@2.30
Maracaibo ..... 17@17½c	Red kidney ..... $2.20@2.30
Peaberry ..... 17@18c	Cal. lima, lb ..... 5@5½c
Golden Rio $2.70c	Peas, dried, bu ..... $1.70@1.75
Caracas ..... 19@18½c	do split, lb 4c
Standard pkgs 9.35c	Oil, carbon, 110 deg 11c
High grade ..... 14.30@16.30c	do headlight 11c
Molasses, fancy refined ..... 38@37c	do water white 12c
do choice ..... 32@36c	Cheese, W. W. twist 150 deg 12c
do open bot ..... 38@40c	do miners ..... 26@32c
Syrup ..... 28@30c	do Platne 16c
Fancy sugar ..... 26@30c	do specials, brands ..... 26@48c
Sug. and cane ..... 24@26c	
Prime ..... 24@25c	Rice, ex-fancy head, lb ..... 7¼@8¾c
	do fancy .....
	Japan ..... 5½@6½c
	do choice Cargo .....
	lina ..... 5@6½c
	Salt, No. 1, bbl $1.20
	do No. 2 ..... $1.10
	do Ashton $1.25
	do dressed ..... $2.00@2.10
	do rock ..... $2.00@2.10

CANNED GOODS.

Peaches, std, pie $1.10	Plums, damson $1.00
do pie, gal ..... $2.50@3.00	do California $1.40
do California	Raspberries ..... 85@95c
L. C ..... $1.00@1.25	Gooseberries ..... 85@$1.00
do Mar	Tomatoes
land ..... $1.15@1.65	standard ..... $1.00@1.05
do California	do fancy ..... $1.20@1.30
Y. P ..... $1.60@2.00	do gal ..... $3.10@3.25
Corn, fancy ..... $1.50@1.45	Succotash, 1-lb ..... 1.15@1.25
do std ..... $1.20@1.25	cans ..... 85@$1.40
Cherries, Cal	Baked beans, cans
white ..... $2.50@2.75	tomato or Nw $1.45
Lima beans ..... $1.25@1.40	Chipped beef ..... $2.25@2.75
do soaked ..... 75@80c	Corned and roast beef, 3-lb
String beans, 2-lb 65c	can ..... $2.35@2.40
do 3-lb 90c	do 1-lb can ..... 1.30@1.35
Sirloin peas ..... $1.25@1.75	Mackerel
beans ..... $1.25@1.75	broiled ..... $1.30@3.50
Pumpkin ..... 80c@$1.05	Sardines, domestic, ¼s ..... $3.40@3.20
Squash	do domestic, ½s $2.45
do fairly	do French ..... $9.00@15.75
June ..... $1.00@1.20	
do soaked ..... 55@65c	
Apples, N. Y. std	
Gal. cans ..... $2.10@2.25	
Pineapples ..... $1.00@2.25	

DRIED FRUITS.

Apricots, evap, bags ..... 7½@11c	Raisins, Muscatel, 2 and 4 crown, 50-lb boxes ..... 7½@8½c
do 25-lb boxes ..... 9½@11c	do Loose ..... 5½@6c
Apples, bulk ..... 3½@7½c	Val ..... 5½@6c
do 1-lb can ..... 7½@8½c	do Cal. Val 7½c
Peaches ..... 7@10c	Currants, cleaned, bulk ..... 5½@6c
Raspberries ..... 20@21c	pkgs ..... 6½@7c
Raisins, seeded ..... 7½@10c	Prunes ..... 3½@10c

SALT FISH.

Mackerel, No. 1	Mackerel, No. 2
mess, bbl $20.00	bbls $18.00
do half bbls $10.50	do half bbls ..... $9.50@10.00
do qrtr bbls $8.00	do qrtr bbls ..... $4.75@5.25
Mackerel, No. 1	do 20-lb pails 12.25
plain, bbl $26.00	do 10-lb pails $1.15
do half bbls $13.50	Lake herring, 100 lbs $3.75
do qrtr bbls $4.75	do 40-lb pails $1.40
do 20-lb pails $2.75	do 10-lb 80c
do 10-lb pails $1.45	

SEEDS.

Clover, from store, recleaned, 60 lbs ..... $5.50@7.00	Alfalfa ..... $5.50@7.00
Timothy, 45 lbs ..... $1.60@1.80	Millet ..... $1.25@1.50
Hungarian ..... 1.25@1.50	Cotton, Hungarian, bu $1.10
do lawn, lb ..... 15@20c	do lawn, lb ..... 15@20c
do blue 14c	do blue 14c
do red top, bu ..... $1.50@1.75	do red top .....
Timothy ..... $1.70@1.80	14-lb bu ..... $1.10@2.00

TROPICS.

Potatoes bbl ..... $2.25@2.50	Egg plant, crates ..... 75c@$1.00
do bu ..... 15@80c	do bu bsk ..... $1.00@1.25
Sweets, Virginia ..... $2.50@3.75	do bu boxs ..... $1.00@1.00
do Jersey ..... 1.00@1.25	Cabbage, bbl ..... $1.00@1.25
do Jer seys ..... $3.75@4.00	Carrots, doz bunches 20c
Turnips, bu ..... 15@20c	String beans, bu ..... 50@75c
Onions, bbl ..... $2.00@2.25	Cauliflower, doz ..... $1.50@2.00
do hamp ..... 75@90c	Celery, doz ..... 15@20c
do home, bu ..... 65@75c	Lettuce, bsk ..... 20@25c
do new, doz ..... 15@20c	Watercress, doz ..... 15@20c
Spanish, crate ..... $1.25@1.50	Tomatoes, hamp ..... 40@50c
Cucumbers, hothouse ..... 50@60c	do home, bu ..... 50@60c
do hamp ..... $1.00@1.25	do Md. hamp ..... 40@50c
do home grown, bu ..... 75c@$1.00	Brussels sprouts, quart ..... 12@14c
Cabbage, new, bbl ..... $1.25@1.50	Mushrooms, lb ..... 50@60c
Beans, bu ..... $2.00@2.50	Peppers, green, crate $1.00
Parsley, doz ..... 10@15c	Peas, bu ..... $2.25@2.50
Spinach, bu ..... 75@80c	do home, bu ..... 50@60c
Radishes, doz 20c	do Md. hamp ..... 40@50c
Celery, Cal	Pumpkins ..... 75@$1.00
Kalamazoo ..... 10@20c	Squash, crate ..... $1.25@1.50
do Ohio ..... 20@25c	do home, bu ..... 15@20c
Kale, bu ..... 25@30c	Corn, doz ..... 15@20c
Lettuce, home grown, doz ..... 40@50c	do bu ..... $1.25@1.50
Garlic, lb ..... 7@10c	Lima beans ..... 10@12½c

PROVISIONS.

Hams	Breakfast bacon,
18 lbs and under 15½c	boneless 12c
Over 14 to 16 lbs 15½c	Dry salt sides, extra short clears 9½c
Over 10 to 14 lbs 14c	Bellies, 20 to 25 lbs 9c
10 lbs and under 14½c	do 16 to 20 lbs 10½c
Skinned hams 15½c	do under 16 lbs 10½c
Boneless boiled 20c	Dry salt smoked shoulders 8½c
California 8½c	short clears 10c
Shoulders, N. Y. cut 8½c	Bellies, 20 to 25 lbs 11c
do skinned 8½c	do 16 to 20 lbs 11½c
Breakfast bacon, ribs, 8 to 10 lbs 13½c	do under 16 lbs 11¾c
do 10 to 12 lbs 13½c	Lard, pure tierces 8¼c
do 12 to 14 lbs 13c	
do clears, 8 to 10 lbs 14c	
do 10 to 12 lbs 13½c	

DOMESTIC FRUITS.

Apples, fancy	do barrel ..... 50@65c

bbl ..... $2.25@2.75	Grapes ..... 10@20c
do choice ..... $1.00@1.25	Watermelons
do bu bskt ..... 40@50c	each ..... 20@30c
do Ct. bskt ..... 15@20c	basket ..... $1.00@1.25
do Ct. box ..... $1.00@1.25	do ..... $2.00@2.25
Peaches ..... $2.50@3.00	do ..... $3.00@3.50
do baskets ..... 50@60c	Cantaloupes, crate ..... $1.00@1.25
do ..... 90c@$1.00	basket ..... $1.00@1.25
Cherries, sour ..... 75@80c	do ..... $2.00@2.50
Currants, red ..... 50@60c	do ..... $3.00@3.50
M plands ..... $2.00@2.50	Grapefruit, choice to fancy ..... $4.00@5.00
do Rock ..... $2.00@2.50	Cranberries, bu $2.50

TROPICAL FRUITS.

Lemons, Mes sina ..... $2.25@3.50	Bananas, large bchs ..... $1.50@2.25
do Verdelli ..... $4.50@4.75	do 2d ..... $1.50@1.75
do Californ	Pineapples, crate ..... $2.00@2.75
fula ..... $3.00@3.50	Figs, California, ...
Limes, per 100 ..... $1.00	box ..... $1.25@1.50
Oranges, California	Pears, California,
Val ..... $2.75@3.00	box ..... $1.75@2.25
do California, seedlings ..... $2.25@2.75	Grapes, Cal., Malagas ..... 75c@$1.25
Cocoanuts, bags $2.50	do Tokay ..... $1.25@2.00
Peaches, California, box ..... $1.25@1.50	do seedless ..... 15c@$1.00

BUTTER, EGGS AND CHEESE.

Butter,	Cheese, Ohio flats
Fresh ..... 22@23½c	full cream ..... 13@13½c
Extra ..... 22@22½c	do Wis. flats 13½c
Ohio creamery ..... 19@20c	do ..... 14@14½c
Dairy ..... 16@17c	do 20-lb block twins 14½c
Country roll ..... 15@16c	new ..... 14@14½c
Cheese, N. Y. full cream 13½c	do Intermpkt ..... 11@12c
do ..... 11½@12c	Eggs, selected ..... 23@24c
do Ohio ..... 10@11c	do select ..... 22@23c
do ¾ cream ..... 9½@9¾c	

POULTRY.

Live hens, lb ..... 12@13c	Roosters ..... 10@11c
Live spring ..... 12@13c	Turkeys, fresh dressed 20c
Roosters ..... 8@10c	do frozen ..... 20@22c
Turkeys ..... 10@11c	Ducks ..... 18@20c
Geese ..... 10@11c	Pigeons, spring ..... 18@20c
Ducks ..... 11@12c	Chickens, lb 20c
Dressed hens ..... 12@13c	L. L. ducks .....
Dressed springs ..... 16@17c	
Roosters 10c	

BUSINESS SITUATION GROWS ENCOURAGING

Less Complaint Being Made by Various Interests Relative to Making Collections.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, Sept. 11.—R. G. Dun & Co.'s weekly review of trade tomorrow will say:

Despite the interruption of a holiday, the week has brought increased activity in many branches of business. An encouraging symptom is the decrease in complaint regarding collections, accompanied by fewer renewals of bills. Weather conditions have been favorable for retail trade, distribution of merchandise expanding, while there are frequent reports of larger sorting orders. Jobbers are still somewhat cautious in selecting goods owing to high prices as reported at the west, but this is evidently confined to textiles. Labor disputes decrease, but not one of the unions having signed the agreement to the effect that existing trades, and several other settlements have been effected through concessions by both sides. Building operations in Greater New York are larger than last year, and 4 per cent greater than in 1901. Owing to the lateness of the crops there is little complaint of traffic congestion.

On September 1 for the first time this year, furnace stocks of pig iron exceeded a week's capacity of the furnaces in blast. This is statistical evidence of the quiet conditions prevailing in the iron and steel industry, although the crafts have managed to determined without a knowledge of the supplies at other points. Furnace stocks have doubled since June 1, yet the weekly output is now about 100,000 tons less than at that date. These figures explain the reduction in prices.

Prices of southern foundry iron have again declined, weakening the tone and delaying the placing of contracts elsewhere. Agricultural implement makers have again purchased very freely of material, some plow steel contracts covering deliveries of five years.

Failures this week were 192 in the United States, against 203 last year, and 33 in Canada, compared with 22 a year ago.

The Drygoods Market.

NEW YORK, Sept. 11.—Reports from the country continue to give encouraging advices regarding the distribution of merchandise from second hands, and while local jobbers in drygoods state there is a slight evidence of a reaction in the activity they are still according a good business. Commission houses and manufacturers are raising their limits and do not appear anxious for business.

The Cotton Market.

NEW YORK, Sept. 11.—Cotton, spot closed quiet, 25 points lower; middling uplands, 12c; middling gulf, 12.25c; sales, 412 bales; cotton futures closed steady; September, 10.75c; October, 9.75c; November, 9.64c; December, 9.65c; January, 9.53c; February, 9.60c; March, 9.67c; April, 9.67c; May, 9.66c.

GRAINS WERE WEAKER AT THE MARKET'S CLOSE

All Showed a Loss in Price When the Chicago Pits Closed Yesterday.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

CHICAGO, Sept. 11.—Wheat opened the shade weaker, but some decided firm on bullish Argentine and foreign crop news and strong northwest markets. Cooperage showed an active demand for drums and the selling pressure slackened a trifle, and with the buying more than offsetting the sales, the market closed steady at ½@¾c net advance. Corn was in good demand, with a fair cash business reported, and the market closed ½@¾c net higher. Oats were in good demand and firm, closing ½@¾c net higher. Provisions were weak, with local receipts of 110 cars, only four of contract grade, made a total of 407 for the week, against 580 cars last week and 807 a year ago.

There was a decided weakness in corn at the opening due to the cables and a bearish construction placed on the government report, but fears of frost in the northwest, coupled with these influences and the narrow current supply and the early low was recovered and a good deal of the loss regained. Trade was active throughout the session, with local traders and commission early buying. Large quantities of corn came out on the upturn, however, and the late trend was decidedly easier. Local receipts were 470 cars, against 580 cars last week.

Local and cash traders were the best buyers of oats and were influenced by the government report, which was regarded as bullish. There was a fair trade in provisions early, but the tone later indicated no other tendency than a lower close. Local receipts were 307 cars.

Fortune rolled lower on selling by the bull leaders, whose action was looked upon as an effort to bring out some of the long line. On the decline such orders were extended, helping the downward movement. A little support was offered by the shorts, but the market was steady at a decline to October pork of $7.50 @$7.62½, with lard down 12½c at $5.30, and with ribs the lower at $5.75.

Estimated receipts tomorrow: Wheat, 160 cars, 345 cars; oats, 190 cars; hogs, 10,000 head.

The leading futures, reported by John D. Armstrong & Co., members of the Chicago Board of Trade, Vermont Bank building, are as follows:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Yesterday's Close.
WHEAT					
No. 2.					
Sept.	81½	83½	78½	79¾	80½
Dec.	81½	83½	81½	82¾	83¼
May	84¾	85¾	83¾	84¾	85¼
CORN.					
No. 2.					
Sept.	50¾	51	50¾	50¾	51¼
Dec.	47	47½	46¾	47	47¾
May	45¾	46¼	45¾	46	46¼
OATS.					
No. 2.					
Sept.	33¾	34¼	33¾	33¾	34
Dec.	29¾	30¼	29¾	30	30¼
May	30¾	31¼	30¾	31	31¼
MESS PORK.					
Sept.	13 75	13 85	13 75	13 80	
Oct.	13 70	13 90	13 65	13 85	13 87½
May	13 65	13 90	13 65	13 80	13 87½
LARD.					
Sept.				5 25	5 27½
Oct.	5 22½	5 40	5 22½	5 35	5 37½
May	5 00	5 15	5 00	5 12½	5 15
SHORT RIBS.					
Sept.	5 75	5 75	5 75	5 75	5 77½
Oct.	5 75	5 75	5 75	5 75	5 77½
May	5 45	5 45	5 45	5 45	5 47½

Cash quotations were as follows:

Flour firm; No. 3 red spring wheat, 79½@82c; No. 2 corn, 50c; No. 2 yellow, 50c; No. 2 oats, 32@33c; No. 2 white, 33c; No. 3 white, 32½@33c; No. 2 rye, 80@80½c; good feeding barley, 45@47c; fair to choice malting, 50@56c; No. 1 flaxseed, 95½c; No. 1 timothy seed, $1.01; prime timothy seed, $2.00; mess pork, per bbl, $13.75@13.87½. Lard, per 100 lbs, $5.27½@5.30. Short ribs sides (loose), $5.37½@5.47½; dry salted shoulders (boxed), $6.62½@6.75; short clear sides (boxed), $6.75@6.90; clover, contract grade, $9.25.

Articles.	Receipts.	Shipments.
Flour, bbls	14,600	17,500
Wheat, bu	142,275	78,725
Corn, bu	883,300	182,478
Oats, bu	245,000	33,100
Rye, bu	2,000	
Barley, bu	18,500	7,085

NEW YORK, Sept. 11.—Flour—Receipts, 15,414 bbls; exports, 1,078 bbls; sales, 11,700 bbls; nominally; but generally firm as to the better grades; low grades firm. Cornmeal quiet. Rye flour firm. Grain

NEWS FROM THE MINES.

C. F. Johnson, Jr., manager of the Calumet copper property at Calumet, Manchester township, Ohio, is in the city. It is his intention to visit mining affairs he says.

The future of the Bingham camp was touched on briefly at the present time. Every one is bullish on the camp, and with the present possible conditions and all else promising of exhilarating handsome returns to their stockholders. The question of dividend payers among the list of producers is there one of 25 producers, but 7 believed all the others would be heard from in the future. Of these 7 the Ohio Copper company is the most prominent, and will be paying dividends within a few years.

The Highland Boy mine has demonstrated the right to mine and ship ore from the Bingham camp by means of the country. It will be one of the first to meeting the demands to be made upon it when the necessity of the smelter is to be reared. The policy of the management is to handle its own ore from the mine to the market.

The United States mines have an enormous tonnage of ore, and are shutting down on a progressive scale. The smelter Consolidated Mercur is the latest to announce a shut down.

While the Bingham have not opened to a tonnage as large as the other Montana camps, there is every reason to believe that when the present extensive plants of the Utah Consolidated, the Bingham & Garfield, the reopening of the Dalton & Lark properties, the enlargement of the Highland Boy Consolidated group of mines are all in shape for the output of their capacity, that Bingham will be handled for the Pittsburgh and Eastern markets.

A Boston dispatch says that drop in the refinery furnaces at the Washoe smelting works in Montana will be resulting full coast for the Highland Boy.

Advances is working 24 drills, of which four are engaged in sinking. The ballpark are also engaged and all drilling has been suspended.

The Bingham Era says: Word has reached the office of the Consolidated Nevada Mining Company that another rich strike has been made in the Desert King adjoining. Nothing is to be learned as to the depth obtained, but it is reasonable to suppose that the strike was made in a drift connecting with the shaft which was sunk from the 125-foot level and is at a depth of 175 feet from the surface. The ore body is said to be 10 feet wide, and is reported beautifully guarded. The stringers run into the thousands and the ore is very heavy sulphide, carrying exceptional gold values. The vein from which this rich ore is taken is the same as that which has been the source of the rich ore bodies of gold and silver which others have opened in summer and fall. It is about 1,000 feet to the mine, as it is also to the Ontario and Consolidated mines, which, working on the strength of this strike, are pounding the contact and should encounter the same ore body in the next few feet.

The Metal Market.

NEW YORK, Sept. 11.—Spot tin advanced 5s 6d to London, closing at £122 17s 6d, while futures were 10s higher at £121 10s. Local tin was steady at $27.25@27.35. There was a decline of 7s 6d to the London copper market, and closing at £77 5s 6d and futures at £77 10s. Locally, copper was steady, Lake Copper to hold at $13.75, electrolytic at $13.62½@13.75, casting at $13.37½@13.50. Lead was unchanged at £11 2s 6d, but locally prices were firmer and steadier, the firm as to $4.30@4.35. Spelter, the local, was unchanged in London

PITTSBURGH INDUSTRIAL EXCHANGE.

Closing quotations:

Stocks.	Bid.	Asked.
Aurora G. M., Oregon		10
Aurora Diamond Copper	1.50	2.00
Bingham Mines Copper, 10th assmt		2½
Butler Creek		22½
Bullion G. M., Nevada		1.00
Bells of Thunder, Mt		1.00
Bells of Thunder, N. M		1.00
Cal. Mines Corp		1.00
Cleveland L. & C		1.00
Cleveland Mines, pfd		4.00
Cleveland Cons. Mines, pfd		4.00
Federal, C. & C		2.00
Federal, C. & C., pfd		4.00
Gold Hill, Nevada		1.00
Gila River		1.00
Gila Consolidated		1.00
Jerome, Ariz		1.00
Jerome, Ariz. & Pgh. Dev		1.00
Mexico		1.00
Mexico & Arizona		1.00
Mexican & Alaska		1.00
Mexican Gold		1.00
Mexican Mines		1.00
Mexican Mines, pfd		1.00
Mexican Mines, Ltd		1.00
Mexican & Boston		1.00
Mexican Mines, Ltd		1.00
Mexican Mines, pfd

ONLY DEATH LEFT FOR POOR ARTIST

Failure to Sell Sketches Breaks the Heart of Young Kentuckian.

GAS ENDS ALL HIS TROUBLES

Breaks His Mahlstick, Dresses in His Best, and Lays on Couch in Friend's Studio With the Deadly Gas Tube in His Mouth.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, Sept. 11.—Clive Wilson, member of a prominent Kentucky family, was found dead in the studio of his friend, Charles Rosen, No. 2 West Fourteenth street, this morning. Failure to attain fame as an artist or even secure a livelihood so discouraged this young man, just 28 years old, that he ended his life by inhaling gas. He was last seen alive on Wednesday, and it is thought he committed suicide that night.

Clive Wilson's home was in Russellville, Ky., where his father was a prominent horse owner. He came to New York about six years ago, against the wishes of his family, to study art. For three years he studied at the School of Design and then began to illustrate for the newspapers and periodicals. For a year he was connected with the Mail and Express, in which many of his best sketches appeared. While making his living by newspaper work he still continued his studies, taking a course at the Chase school. More than a year ago he returned to his home in the south and shortly afterward his father died. He remained at home until his mother died, about three months ago, and then came back to New York and took up his work as if it were the only thing left worth living for. He established himself in the studio of Charles Rosen, on the top floor of the Knickerbocker building, No. 2 West Fourteenth street, and completed many drawings, which he submitted to the comic papers and periodicals.

But somehow Young Wilson's pictures did not find purchasers. Even to Rosen, his immediate friend and fellow-artist, Wilson did not disclose how deeply he was hurt by his want of success, but he kept manfully on. A week or two ago he sent a few sketches to a well-known magazine, and returned unaccepted. This last blow appears to have broken the young artist's spirit, for the rejected drawings were left on a table lying in the wrapping paper in which they had been returned.

Young Wilson had been boarding with two fellow-artists from his native state at No. 217 West Thirty-seventh street and his friend, Rosen, permitted him to sleep in the studio. About a week ago Rosen left the city for a brief trip to the country, and only returned this morning. His first act after arrival was to visit the studio. When he opened the door he was startled to see young Wilson, immaculately dressed, lying dead upon a couch. Between the half-closed teeth was a rubber tube through which gas was pouring.

From all indications, Wilson, on receiving his rejected drawing on Wednesday, had determined on suicide and had gone about it deliberately. His first act was to break the mahlstick, emblem of the painter's art. Then, with studious care, he had clothed himself in clean clothing and had lain down on the couch to die.

On a table by the side of the couch was found a letter addressed to the sister of the dead man, Mrs. Briggs, Russellville, Ky. In his pockets were found two pocketbooks, but with no money in them.

New Company Has Big Capital.

JEFFERSON CITY, MO., Sept. 11.—The secretary of state today issued a certificate of consolidation for the Electric Light Company of St. Louis, with a capital stock of $10,000,000.

P. & L. E. R. R.
$5.00 NIAGARA FALLS EXCURSION $5.00
SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 12, 1903.
Special train will leave Pittsburgh 9:20 a. m. and 11:50 p. m., city time, arriving Falls at 5:00 p. m. and 7:00 a. m., respectively. Tickets are valid five days, and together with Pullman accommodations, should be purchased in advance at 207 Fifth avenue, city.

Excursion to Cumberland Sunday, September 13th, Via Baltimore & Ohio Railroad.
Special train leaves Pittsburgh station, corner Smithfield and Water streets, 7 a. m. Returning, leaves Cumberland 6 p. m. Fare, $2 round trip.

A Valuable Nest Egg.
See Home Trust Company's ad. in next Sunday's Gazette.

TRUST COMPANY WANTS RAILROAD

Suit Against South Pennsylvania Railroad Company to Foreclose Big Mortgage.

OVER FIVE MILLIONS INVOLVED

Final Decree Gives J. W. Platt Property Purchased for Him by C. L. Magee. Criminal and Juvenile Court Cases. Mrs. Snyder's Troubles.

A bill in equity was filed yesterday in the United States circuit court by the Union Trust Company of New York against the South Pennsylvania Railroad Company and the South Pennsylvania Railway Company, to foreclose a mortgage against the railroad.

The bill of complaint states that on or about January 1, 1899, the defendant company issued a mortgage to the plaintiff to secure bonds to the amount of $20,000,000, which were to be issued for building the South Pennsylvania railroad from Harrisburg to Port Perry, this county, a distance of 209 miles, and a branch road. 5,800 of the bonds were issued at a par value of $1,000 redeemable in 1975, and bearing 6 per cent interest, payable semi-annually.

The road, it is alleged, has failed to pay the interest, and the trust company asks to foreclose the mortgage to redeem the indebtedness for the 5,800 bonds.

Platt to Get Deed.

In common pleas court No. 2 yesterday the final decree in the equity proceedings of James W. Platt against William H. Sief, et al., executors of the will of C. L. Magee, deceased, was filed.

After a final hearing and the dismissal of the exceptions to the court's finding of facts and conclusions of law filed by the defendants, a decree was made requiring that within 60 days, and upon the plaintiff paying the executors $130,000, the defendants execute, acknowledge and deliver to plaintiff a good and sufficient deed of special warranty conveying in fee simple to plaintiff the Third ward property at the corner of Fifth avenue and Sturgeon alley. The description of the property in the decree calls for 15 feet on Fifth avenue, with a depth of 100 feet, 35 feet in width in the rear and one-half of Sturgeon alley.

In criminal court yesterday before Judge Elliott Rodgers, several cases were heard, many pleading guilty. John Hill and Wilhelm Jakonson, charged with felonious assault and battery by Edward McGowan and Joseph E. Norris, policemen of Glassport, were found guilty of assault and battery and each sentenced to six months in the workhouse. It is alleged that while the officers were performing their duty the defendants cut them with knives, inflicting serious wounds.

Johnston Used an Ax.

James Johnston, charged with felonious assault and battery by Florence Sullivan, pleaded guilty to unlawful cutting and wounding and was sentenced to the workhouse for six months. Johnston struck the prosecutor on the head with an ax.

Frank Di Nanci and Peter Sotto, charged with felonious assault and battery by William M. Daywalt, were found guilty of assault and battery and sentenced to 90 days in the work house. They had a fight and tried to stab and shoot the prosecutor.

In the juvenile court yesterday before Judge John D. Shafer five cases were disposed of.

Howard Clark, 14 years old, was returned to the St. Joseph's Protectory. He has no home, his parents being dead and was wandering around the streets selling papers. Ran away from the protectory, to which he was returned.

Edward Johnson, 12 years old, was committed to his mother's care under the jurisdiction of probation officers. He was under a charge of larceny, having stolen a package from the Excelsior Express Company.

Boys Steal Satchels.

This practice has been going on for some time, and a strict watch is now being kept on boys who attempt to take satchels from these wagons, while they are standing on the streets. Four other boys were caught Tuesday ago stealing a satchel from a wagon at Jumonville street, and reprimanded by the court. The express company will make an effort to send every boy to Morganza who is found jobbing about its property.

Alice McKenzie, 9 years old, was sent to the St. Paul's Orphan asylum, her father not being able to keep her and her mother is in the work house.

Edward Hirsch was turned over to the care of the probation officers for them to select a home for him. His mother can do nothing with him. He is 15 years old. Mike Delreschia, 10 years old, is to be placed in the home of the Children's Aid society. He steals money from his father and will not stay at home.

James Reese & Sons Company have entered suit against the Western Pennsylvania Exposition society to recover $4,000. The plaintiff claims that prior to October 3, 1896, the society entered into an agreements by which J. A. Griffiths was privileged to build an Amusement railroad in the exposition grounds at a rental of $2,000 a year. The society reserved the right to cause the removal of the railroad by giving notice and paying $1,000.

Railroad as Security.

The plaintiff company says it was assigned the railroad by Griffiths as security on a judgment it had obtained against him.

The bill charges the society with appropriating the railroad and converting it to its own use without giving notice as required. The amount sued for is the alleged value of the railroad.

A bill of particulars has been filed in the divorce suit of Charlotte A. Snyder against James S. Snyder. The libellant charges her husband with indignities and brutal treatment. The items of his alleged ill-treatment are numerous and varied. She says he was guilty of acts beyond mention; that he slapped her when she was in bed sick, broke the door because she went to prayermeeting, broke the bannisters in the house, threw a knife at her at dinner, which rebounded and cut a servant on the side of the face, sat all night long holding a revolver and threatened to shoot her and slept with his feet on the pillow as an exposition of contempt. His answer will be filed.

The couple were married in Reynoldton, Pa., in 1886, and were residents of Ruth street.

Grand Jury Returns.

The following true bills were returned by the grand jury yesterday: Aggravated assault and battery, Elizabeth McKittrick, Paul Pichanni and John Arnold; assault and battery, John McNally, George Wilson, Nicholas Koloff, G. W. Smith, Thomas F. McCleary, Max Kleckner, R. W. Sanlsbury, Blanche Elsey and Eleanor Oswald; misdemeanor, Hugh Morgan; attempt to take life, John Schmidt; all weapons, Granville Hotnitz; felonious assault, Granville Hotnitz; entering a building to commit a felony, James Wright and Harry Davis; entering a railroad car to commit a felony, Frank Robinson et al.; larceny, Fred Manning, D. Nelson, William Allen, P. J. Mulcahy et al. and James B. Watt; larceny from the person, Frank Adams, James McClance, Lillie Jeffrey and Christopher Greenfield; embezzlement, C. Harris and John Schumack; felonious assault and battery, Phillip McGuire; false pretenses, F. M. McCoy; selling and furnishing cocaine without a prescription, Samuel H. Eldredge; fortune telling, Minnie Reiner, larceny by bailee, Joseph Bell.

LEGAL BRIEFS.

Judge J. A. Evans yesterday granted the transfer of the liquor license of William J. Miller, East Pittsburgh, to Isabel J. Miller.

The Pennsylvania Railroad Company has sued Dr. Kelly, of Johnstown, for $962, alleged to be due at the rate of $1 per day per car for cars detained at Clairton and Courtney, after 48 hours allowed for unloading.

A partition has been ordered in the proceedings of Margaret A. Murdock and others against John B. Murdock and others. George H. Calvert was appointed master to hear and determine matters and make the partition.

In the United States district court a petition in involuntary bankruptcy was filed yesterday against David B. Austin of Charleroi by Stewart Bros. & Co., David Heer & Co., and Edwin Smith Shoe Company, creditors, whose claims aggregate $1,868.85.

Charles Evans, Rev. W. Sord, H. P. Wyatt, S. C. Bowes, G. H. Wolff, F. E. Cornell, C. F. Bradley, W. M. Deng, Z. Chzanowski, H. Weinstein, Lonella Allen, Albert Winter, G. Simpson, Wm. Simpson, Geo. Snyder, C. Mullen, James Simpson, S. F. Elliott, J. G. Nesbit and T. J. Tuck were discharged from bankruptcy.

A bill in equity was filed by F. S. Caldwell against Chalfont & Patterson and a preliminary injunction granted against the defendants. The plaintiff avers he is the owner of the sole right in Pennsylvania for the sale of a patent washboard and that the defendants are advertising that they are the sole agents for the same article in this state. A preliminary restraining order was granted.

The following executions were issued yesterday: Samuel McKnight Hardware Company vs. M. Madden Sons, $1,488; Hannah McDonough vs. Martin T. McDonough, $1,000; Anna McKinley vs. P. W. McKinley, $150.25; Pennsylvania Savings & Loan association vs. Oswald D. Dousgert, $721.08; Henry A. Dreer vs. Charles T. Belger, $350.92; Rockwood Lumber Company vs. Flenniken & Madden, $722.50; Mary Welsh et al vs. Abram Cowan, $1,000.50; Wm. Nill vs. Joseph N. Freeman, $1,294.49; F. S. and W. G. Gleason, use, vs. Jacques P. Hamden et al, $1,062; A. W. Holthouse vs. John Crawford, $3,018; J. P. Witt vs. Adolph Ashenergh, $3,416.20; George Apels vs. Fred Lockard, $109.15.

Greatly Reduced Rates to the Pacific Coast.
Daily from September 15 to November 30 there will be in effect from Chicago the rate of $33 via the Union Pacific railroad to California, Oregon and Washington coast points, with proportionate reduced rates to intermediate points. For particulars and illustrated descriptive literature address H. G. Herring, general agent, 515 Park building, Pittsburgh, Pa.

BRITISH COAST IS DEVASTATED

Great Loss of Life and Damage to Shipping in the United Kingdom.

BODIES ARE WASHING ASHORE

Fury of the Gale Wrecked Buildings in Seaports and Wrought Havoc in the Agricultural Districts—Large Cities Also Suffered.

[Associated Press Cable to The Gazette.]

LONDON, Sept. 11.—While the details of the havoc wrought by the great storm which raged over the British isles yesterday are necessarily incomplete, the reports coming in from all parts of the United Kingdom show that the devastation was general and it is feared that the loss of life is much greater than was at first supposed.

Lloyds already report over 50 serious casualties to shipping. All sorts of vessels were caught in the gale and many foundered, several with their entire crews. A great number of minor craft is believed to be lost and the bodies washing ashore continue to swell the terrible list of fatalities.

The gale sprang up with sudden fury from the southwest and the wind blew with a velocity at times reaching 72 miles an hour, and this continued for several hours. All the coast towns suffered more or less and the agricultural sections in the interior report incalculable damage owing to the late harvest. The beautiful hop gardens of the Kent have been ruined and in many places the valleys of the Thames and the Severn are submerged, quantities of sheep and cattle being drowned.

For some time telegraphic communication was completely stopped and the land lines are still interrupted. The telegraph companies report that the wires and poles are down everywhere. Great numbers of fine trees in the parks of London and other cities were torn up by the roots or stripped of their branches and the list of minor damage and casualities is amazing. In addition to the deaths from drowning, reports from the inland give many fatalities resulting from various causes incident to the storm.

RECEIVER SUSTAINED.

James Smith, Jr., of the U. S. Shipbuilding Co. Must Be Recognized in Maine.

PORTLAND, ME., Sept. 11.—Judge Putnam of the United States circuit court today issued a final decree in the case of Roland R. Conklin et al. against the United States Shipbuilding Company, the Hyde Windlass Company and the Bath Iron Works, defendants.

The appointment of James Smith, Jr., as receiver is confirmed within this district. It is ordered that the property of the Hyde Windlass Company be delivered to the receiver. The application for possession of the Bath Iron works is denied.

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RICHARD ANDERSON.
Feb. 29, 1898. Geneva, Utah.

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